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DISTRICT COURT

W. C. Dowdy, Judge.

Dwight Whitwell, District Attorney.

Mrs. O. L. Barker, District Clerk.

Mrs. Clara Travillian, Assistant

Mrs. Justine B. Abernathy, Court Reporter.

NEW SUITS

Robert Wilson Scott vs. Edna L. Scott, divorce.

Mildred M. Miller vs. Bonnie P. Miller, divorce.

Charles Howard Williams by next friend — Thelma Lee Williams vs. Associated Employers Lloyds, compensation.

Collin County National Bank, McKinney, Texas vs. Jack Kerby, suit on note.

Lucille McKinney-e vs. Aart McKinney, divorce.

Tressie B. Rich vs. James L. Rich, divorce.

Troy M. McLeod vs. Raymond L. Eastham et ux Rosa Tackett Eastham, damages.

CASES DISPOSED OF

John Ewell-Trustee, et al vs V. L. Reed-col, judgement for plaintiff.

COUNTY COURT

W. E. Button, Judge.

W. C. Hagy, County Clerk.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Warren Baldwin Cochran and Espar Anderson Stover.

William Gene Stroud and Martha Nell Mack.

Tommy Lynn Haggard and Glendia Ann Wood.

CASE

W. G. Reid d-b-a W. G. Reed Construction Co., vs. McKinney Independent School District, et al

PETIT JURY

Paul Alexander, McKinney.
Walter Curtis, Allen.
L. Bozeman, Wylie.
M. P. Chambers, McKinney.
Roy Skelton, Prosper.
Ray Stratton, Allen.
H. H. Lokey, Princeton.
Bill W. Glover, McKinney.
C. A. Williams, Renner.
Mrs. O. S. Marrs, McKinney.
L. E. Ballew, Allen.
W. E. Oliver, Copeville.

Turrentine-Jackson Burial Assn. Statement

Turrentine-Jackson Burial Association of this city is publishing in the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette, an official statement. The assets are well over the $29,000.00 mark.

The Burial Association had its beginning in 1941 and has written burial policies since that time from one day of age to 90. They are chartered by and operate under the Board of Insurance Commissioners of The State of Texas, and have always maintained and operated the Association in the highest manner. Since their beginning they have grown and at the present they have over 10,000 members carrying burial policies with them, having paid out over $98,000.00 in claims since that time.

Turrentine-Jackson Burial Association holds the position of being among the largest burial associations in the State of Texas. We urge everyone to read the ad in this issue of the specific listing of assets of this up and coming association, established to serve each and every need of the citizens of Collin County and the surrounding territory.

This statement was released and signed by C. Audie Turrentine, President and T. Grady Jackson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Wilson Service Station Robbed At Frisco

The Wilson Service Station, located at the end of West Main Street, in Frisco, was entered sometime Wednesday night and $70.65 in cash, stolen. The money was not in the cash register, but hidden in the store. The building was entered through a front window which was broken out.

Deputies Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey were in Frisco Thursday morning investigating the burglary. Mr. Wilson, owner of the station and Magnolia dealer there, had closed the station and 8 p.m. Wednesday. He discovered the robbery when he opened at 6:15 a.m. Thursday.

Applications For Lavon Postmaster Due By Feb[illegible]ary 7

Microfilm Service P. O. Box 8065 Sales Co. Boise, Idaho

The United S[illegible] Service Commission has an[illegible] examination to fill the [illegible] of fourth-class postmaste[illegible] post office at Lavon, Tex[illegible]

The annual salary for t[illegible] sition is $1886. Applicants actually reside within the ter[illegible] tory supplied by the above-mentioned post office and all applicants except those entitled to veteran preference must be at least 21 years of age. There is no maximum age limit.

Full information and application forms may be obtained at the above mentioned post office or from the Commission's Washington office. Applications must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., and must be received or postmarked not later than February 7, 1956.

Dallas Group Purchases Bank At Celina

A group of Dallas men, headed by Dr. Anson Luman Clark, recently purchased the First State Bank, at Celina, announces C. B. Johnson, president of the bank.

Clark, a retired physician and president of Cornell Oil Co., with offices in Dallas and Lubbock, is owner of the majority of stock in the new corporation. He will be chairman of the board of directors.

The price paid for the bank's stock was not disclosed. However the book value of December 31, 1955 was $131,700, including capital stock, surplus and undivided profits.

Johnson came to Celina to take over management of the bank in September, 1939. At that time the bank's resources were less than $200,000 and deposits were $167,000. The bank's last published statement Dec. 31, 1955 showed total resources at $1,646,744.48 and deposits of $1,515,044.48.

New president and executive officers of the bank is Walter R. Woodruff who comes to Celina from Lubbock.

Other officers of the bank will be Col. Wann Edward Hill and Col. Casper P. West, both of Dallas, vice presidents.

Former owners of the bank were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. John, Charles Johnson, Mrs. Mattie Moore, and Ray Moore.

C. B. Moore, and his son, Charles Johnson, a retiring cashier of the Celina bank, have announced they will open a new bank, The Parker's Square State Bank, Wichita Falls.

Retired Civil Service Employes Organize Here

An organizational meeting of the retired civil service employees of McKinney and vicinity was held on Monday afternoon in the District Court Jury Room, at which time a local Chapter of the National Association of Retired Civil Employees was organized, and officers for the year were elected. Judge A. M. Wolford was elected President and Jeff Smith was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

After some discussion of matters pertaining to the welfare of the members, Judge Wolford was called on to make a talk concerning his work while in the service at the Capital in Washington, which was very enlightening and was enjoyed by all. The meeting was then adjourned to meet again on the last Tuesday in February at 2 o'clock p.m. The place of meeting to be selected later. It is urged that all retired Civil Service Employees attend this meeting.

"Miss Ammie" Named President

FORT WORTH, Tex. (INS)—Mrs. Ammie E. Wilson of Plano has been elected president of the Purebred Sheep Breeders Association of Texas.

She succeeds W. E. Couch of Waxahachie. Hamilton Choat of Olney was named Vice President and J. O. Heath of Argyle was re-elected secretary-treasurer at the annual meeting last night in Fort worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Houser visited in Greenville recently.

Trustees On Stand Tuesday In School Suit

Judgements totalling more than $300,000 are being asked by the W. G. Reid Construction Company in their suit against the McKinney Independent School District, et al, on trial in 59th District Court here. The case was called Monday, when the jury was selected.

Judge W. C. Dowdy is presiding over the court and attorneys for the defense are Jewell Abernathy of this city; Sam Burford and John Lancaster, both of Dallas. Reid's lawyer is William Andress Jr. of Dallas.

School trustees who testified Tuesday were W. T. Dungan, former president of the board; Jimmy Foster, former secretary and Dr. C. J. Hicks Jr., president of the board at this time.

The plaintiff is asking judgment against the schools for $182,350.89 which he claims as the amount spent over and above his contract; is asking judgement against the schools for $50,000 attorneys fees; is asking judgement against the defendents — trustees, school and Wyatt C. Hedrick, for $42,059.59, as anticipated profits which he did not receive; and against the trustees and Hedrick of $50,000 for exemplary damages.

The suit was filed here March 29, 1954, by Reid following a wrangle over a contract awarded the construction company for an overall remodeling and building program in the school system here. The contract had been awarded to Reid Construction Company for low bid, but when declared in default the job was finished by his bonding company.

Trustees named in the suit are W. T. Dungan, Jimmy Foster, Luther Truett, H. A. Finch, Dr. C. J. Hicks Jr. and Jack Anderson.

Members of the jury are:
Paul Alexander, McKinney.
Walter Curtis, Allen.
L. Bozeman, Wylie.
M. P. Chambers, McKinney.
Roy Skelton, Porsper.
Ray Stratton, Allen.
H. H. Lokey, Princeton.
Bill W. Glover, McKinney.
C. A. Williams, Renner.
Mrs. O. S. Marrs, McKinney.
L. E. Ballew, Allen.
W. E. Oliver, Copeville.

CC Banquet Ticket Sale Now Underway

A. H. Eubanks, chairman of the ticket sales committee for the annual membership banquet of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce, urges all who have not secured their tickets to get them this week from him, at the Central National Bank, or at the CC office from Manager Pat Simpson.

The banquet will be held Monday night at 7 o'clock at the First Methodist Church at which time a program has been arranged when Hon. H. G. Storey, of Dallas, will be the principal speaker.

President W. T. Dungan, urges a full attendance of members and their wives and the general public to attend the banquet. During the evening new officers for the coming year will be announced.

City And County Police Reports For Thursday

Arrests for drunkenness was the major activity of City and County police Thursday night. Deputies Will Day and Clarence Hundley of the Sheriff's department, picked up a man a mile West of Anna, at 1:30 a.m. Friday. He was in his car which was parked beside the road. This arrest made a total of fourteen inmates in the County jail Friday morning.

City police arrested two persons Thursday night for drunkenness and had one sleeper, according to Euel Ford, assistant chief.

One wreck was reported in the city Friday morning, occurring at 7:58 o'clock during the heavy fog, on North Church Street. The drivers were John Mills and Garner Jones, both of whom were uninjured. About $60 damage was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright have returned from Dallas where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Wright and David. Mr. Wright went to Lisbon Hospital for a physican check.

Collin Farmers Visit Greenville Cotton Field Station

A group of Collin County farmers went to the U. S. Cotton Field Station at Greenville, Friday, January 27 to discuss coton problems with Dow Porter, Superintendent of the station, according to Wayne Cranfill, Associate County Agent.

Most of these farmers are working with Mr. Cranfill in the Farm and Home Development program. Some of the main topics that were discussed were different cotton varieties for the blacklands here in Collin County and varieties more adapted for the cotton stripper.

The meeting was very informal and all the farmers agree that the meeting was very helpful. Those attending the meeting were L. L. Jacobs, Rt. 1 Allen; Mr. Haney and Bob Haney, Rt. 1, Anna; J. E. Slate, Rt. 4 McKinney; Jack Fisher Rt. 4, McKinney; Gerald Furr, Jack Furr, and Dale Furr, all of Rt. 4, McKinney; Willard Craighead Rt. 4, McKinney; T. S. Johnson and son, from Nevada.

County Officers Confiscate 302 Cases Of Beer

A Sherman man was arrested in this county Thursday morning and 302 cases of beer confiscated. Deputies Will Day and Hundley of the Sheriff's Department, made the arrest at 3:10 a.m. today, two miles South of Highway 24, on State Highway 289 in West Collin. The man was driving a two-ton truck, loaded with cases of beer.

Charges of transporting intoxicating liquors were filed against the man in County Court here Thursday. He paid a $200 fine and the beer will be returned to Dallas by the Liquor Control Board.

Deputies Ray Brooks and Archie Hatfield arrested four out-of-county men in Farmersville at 2:40 a.m. Thursday for attempted burglary of the Dyer Drug there. The ages of the men ranged from 17 to 25.

First Class In Carnegie Course Begins Friday

A large attendance, of 60 or more, were present for the free demonstration Dale Carnegie course, held at the Jaycee Center Friday night. Nineteen of those present signed up for the sixteen lessons which will be taught each Friday night at the Center. The classes are held from 6:30 to 10:45 p. m. A different instructor will conduct the class each Friday night.

The course is open to anyone interested and will enroll new members through the third lesson.

Persons who would like to take the course may get further information at the Friday night session, at the Jaycee Center.

Former Farmersville Man "Outstanding Citizen" In Amarillo

Ted Y. Lokey was honored as Amarillo's outstanding young man of 1955 at the annual Amarillo Chamber of Comerce banquet Monday night.

The 27-year-old tire company executive and civic leader was presented a plaque and gold key from the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce. Young Lokey, son of the Ted H. Lokeys of Amarillo and grandson of Mrs. M. H. Lokey of Farmersville, received his award from Mayor Art Jordan.

The honored young man is a graduate of Texas A&M, general manager of Ted Lokey Tire Co., vice president of Ted Lokey Oil Co., chairman of the Potter County Chapter of March of Dimes, a past director of Jaycees, a director of Community Chest, director of the Chamber of Comerce, Deacon of First Christian Church and state vice president of District 1 of Texas A&M.

He is married and has two children.

Mrs. Pearl Gleeves and grandson, Larry, of Dallas, spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Lois Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pope and son, of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lon pope.

February 5 Is Total Circuit Sunday For Weston Circuit

The Rev. Phillip Walker, of Sherman, district superintendent of the Sherman district, has announced the February 5, 1956 is to be Total Circuit Sunday for the churches of the Weston Methodist circuit.

This will mean that services will be conducted at the three churches on the circuit at the same hours and that the services will be held at 11:00 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:00 o'clock at night. The three preachers taking part on this day will rotate in order that those attending may have the opportunity of hearing a different speaker at each service.

These three churches are the Weston Methodist church, the Cottage Hill Methodist church, and the Chambersville Methodist church. Members and visitors are cordially invited to be at any or all of these services in the church of their choice.

The pastor the Rev. Ralph Vaughan, chairman of the official boards superintendent in urging all to take advantage of this opportunity.

The district superintendent in making this announcement said this was a new idea and he was hoping that it would prove to be a successful one.

Observers Post To Meet Here Friday Night

A Ground Observation Post has been organized for McKinney, jointly by the U. S. Air Force and the citizens of this city. This program, which covers the whole United States, is headed in Collin County by Judge W. E. Button, who in turn, appoints area supervisors for the county.

It is for the sole purpose of spotting aircraft and reporting them to the Filter Center in Dallas, who immediately report them to the aircraft squardron assigned to protect this area. The local inhabitants furnish the personnel and the actual observation post; Air Force the training and taking care of records and the necessary equipment for the post.

A meeting has been arranged with the Air Force for Friday night, February 3, in the Lone Star Gas Co. auditorium at which time the Air Force personnel will demonstrate the operation of the program and show motion pictures of the Ground Observation Corps in action. Everyone is invited to attend, male, female, old and young, as women can, and do, act as observers. When the local post is in full operation upward of 500 observers will be needed.

Capt. Roy E. Hall is post supervisor here with G. B. (Sonny) McGee as chief observer.

Assistant chief observers are:
Aubrey J. Williams.
Grady Taylor.
E. B. Nelson.
Pat Simpson.
Charles Carman.
J. B. Koonce.
Clifford Byrd.
Vinson Shields.
Frank Garcia.
(Others to be appointed)

Ozservers:
Boy Scouts of Troops 295—300, 301 and Ex-Post 301, Trop 303, Ex. Post 303 and Troops 304, 305 and 311, McKinney, Texas.

County Officers Make Two Liquor Raids Saturday

Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey, of the Sheriff's Department, and Roy Eldridge of Sherman, representing the State Liquor Control Board, made two liquor raids in the county Saturday afternoon.

At a negro's residence in McKinney, they found a case of wine, eight cans of beer, a half-pint of whiskey and two half-pints of gin. The Negro was placed in jail and charged with possession of intoxicating liquor for purpose of sale.

The same afternoon the officers raided another negro residence in Plano where they sized 29 bottles of beer.

The county also reports two arrests made for driving while intoxicated.

City police arrested four persons for drunkenness, one for driving while intoxicated, and had two sleepers over the week end.

Social Security Law Discussed At Lions Club

Old-Age and Survivors Insurance under the Social Security Law, was explained to members of the McKinney Lions Club and their guests at the Wednesday luncheon meeting held at the First Christian Church. Z. E. Avery, from the Dallas Social Security Office, was the speaker for the day. He came to McKinney with a former resident, Halsell S. Davis, of the Internal Revenue Department, Dallas. They were guests of Lions A. M. Wolford and Paul Worden, program committee, the former introducing the speaker.

Mr. Avery, a former school teacher, has been with the government since 1923 and with the Social Security Board since 1936, being head of the Dallas office.

In opening his remarks, Mr. Avery stated that the program of Old Age and Survivors Insurance, directly or indirectly, touches every man, woman and child in the United States. He expressed his appreciation to McKinney's Chamber of Commerce, for furnishing an office where a Social Security representative comes each Monday to assist persons in securing the benefits of the insurance. He also thanked the McKinney newspapers for their public service of using items from time to time concerning Social Sercurity, and also the McKinney radio station for making announcements and other public service offered.

Discussing the origin of the Social Security Law, the speaker told of its beginning in 1935, the amendments passed from time to time, and their effect, stating that the program now covers nine out of ten working people in the United States. Approximately $8,000,000,000 is paid out each year, in monthly payments, to approximately five million people.

The speaker elaborated on the many benefits derived from the law, and the requirements, and eligibility for receiving its benefits. He named the various types of workers and professional people never before covered by the law, who are now eligible for its benefits, as follows; old age benefits to wives; benefits to children under 18; widows' benefits; mother's benefits; dependent husbands; benefits for youth; benefit to dependent parents, and lump sum paid in all death cases.

He pointed out that the Social Security card, is potentially the most important piece of paper a person can possess and closed by briefly outlining how much a beneficiary is paid and when he will get it, which depends upon his average monthly wage.

Lion J. M. Whisenant, called the club to order, with Lion Garner Jones leading the singing. Mrs. Ross Orenduff, former club sweetheart, was the piano accompainst, being the guest of Lion T. E. Wyatt, President Whisenant announced a Dale Carnegie demonstration to be held at the Jaycee Center on Friday evening, and asked all planning to attend the 2XDistrict meeting in Dallas, to make reservations immediately. The club recently voted to have a "Ladies Day" each quarter, the first of which will be on February 15.

He expressed regret on losing Lion Claud Rayburn as a member, who is moving soon to Paris, and welcomed a new member, James Ford, McKinney groceryman, who with his father recently purchased the C & T Grocery here.

Lion Roy Hall announced a public meeting of the Ground Observer Corps to be held at the Lone Star Gas Company auditorium Friday night, February 3, at 7 o'clock which is open to the public.

Guests for the day introduced by Lontamer Jack Bergvall were Mrs. Orenduff; Messrs. Avery and Davis; Malcolm Smith of Lancaster, guest of Bruce Carter and Boyd Williams, manager of the Texas Power & Light Company.

The program next week, at the First Methodist Church, will be arranged by Lions Vernon Walker and Jeff Wharton.

Rev. Redford Will Be In Pulpit Sunday At Princeton Church

H. M. Redford, pastor of the Princeton Christian Church, will preach at the 11:00 o'clock hour next Sunday morning on the subject "A Strong Heart."

Since Mr. Redford must drive 400 miles to begin a Revival meeting in South Texas as on Monday night, there will be on Sunday evening service at the Christian Church in Princeton.

Presides At Circle Ten Boy Scout Circus Committee

Charle E. Beard, president of Braniff Airways, Inc., presided at the initial organization meeting of the 1956 Boy Scout Circus Committee held at the new Statler-Hilton Htoel this week attended by 90 enthusiastic adult Scout leaders from the 14½ county Circle Ten Council, Boy Scouts of America, with headquarters in Dallas, Texas.

The Scout Circus, held every two years, will be held in the huge Dallas Cotton Bowl at the State Fair Grounds on Saturday night, May, 1956, explained Mr. Beard in his remarks to the 90 men he had selected to be on his general circus committee. He said, "It's great and thrilling to see the response to my invitation to each of you men to be on the circus committee. You have my deepest appreciation personally for your sincere interest and for being here.

Carl J. Rutland, Council Camping and Activities Chairman, gave a review of what the Circus was—it is a 40 ring circus instead of 3 rings with 14,000 to 20,000 boys and leaders participating in 9 acts depicting all sorts of Scouting activities. In the first circus held shortly after the war 8,000 boys participated and 20,000 tickets were sold. This year our goal is 85,000 tickets to be sold and 22,000 participants.

Circle Ten Council Annual Meeting Tuesday

The 41st Annual Meeting of the Circle Ten Council, Boy Scouts of America, an agency of the Community Chest, United Fund, will be held at 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 7 in the Women's Building at Fair Park, Dallas announced Angus G. Wynne, Council President, who will preside at the meeting.

Laurence Melton is the Chairman for the Annual Meeting. He has announced that reservations may be made through the District attendance Chairman. Plates will be $1.50 each.

The dinner is for all adult Scouters, their wives, parents of Cubs, Scouts and Explorers and their friends.

All reservations should be made by February 3rd.

The Laurence R. Melton attendance award will be presented to the District with the largest percentage of its registered adult membership present.

William J. Murray, Chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, will speak. Mr. Murray is an Eagle Scout and has been President of the Capitol Area Council at Austin and has spoken all over the State on Scouting occasions.

The Dallas Rotary Glee Club will sing special songs featuring the song written by Fred Waring for the new Four Year Program of the Boy Scouts of America, "Onward for God and My Country."

Silver Beaver Awards to Scouters who have performed outstanding service to boyhood will be presented by Neth Leachman, L. L. Hotchkiss, Scout Executive, will report on the Council progress during the year. Wood Badge presentations will be made by P. M. Rutherford, Jr., Council Leadership Training Chairman. Prior to the dinner at 5:00 p.m., the Annual Council Business Meeting for all Council members including the Executive Boards, Institutional Representatives and Members at Large will be held in the State Fair Board Room in the Administration and Electric Building on the Fair Grounds.

Mr. Wynne said that this Annual Meeting, being held during National Boy Scout week, will serve as the kick-off of the new Four Year Program for Circle Ten Council and he urged every registered Scouter and his lady, the Den Mothers and their husbands to attend.

Wylie Student Named To National Fashion Board For This Year

Wynell Nickerson, senior of Wylie High School, and third year homemaking student, has been elected to McCall "Teen Fashion Board for 1956."

Each high school in the nation nominates a candidate for this position. We feel honored that a Wylie student was chosen from all the possible candidates.

Wynell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nickerson, of Wylie.

Weekend Wrecks Keep Traffic Officers Busy

Several auto collisions within the city limits over the week-end resulted in more than $1,000 property damage to the cars involved, but no one was hurt, according to local officers who made the investigations.

On Friday Officer Roy Dell Dickerson investigated the accident at Louisianan and Bradley Streets in which Howell Lee Wallis and J. C. Honea were the drivers. A total of $275 damage was estimated.

At 10 p. m. Saturday a car, driven by Connie Becknell of Route 5 McKinney, received $400 damage when the driver stepped on the brake and skidded into a tree. Officers Robert Pope and Jack Elmore, who made the investigation, report the heavy fog and slippery street were causes of the accident.

John Mamess, of Dallas, and Almer Rutledge, of McKinney, collided at Tennessee and Gerrish Streets Saturday evening about 8 o'clock, causing a total damage of $95 to the two cars involved. Officers Fraze and Dickerson investigated the mishap.

On Sunday evening at 5:45 o'clock William McClellan and Joe Chapman were drivers of the two cars colliding at the Church and Heard Streets intersection. Sgt. Hardin and Capt. Powell made the investigation and report $225 damage.

County officers were called to the county-line, North of Anna at 3:18 a.m. Sunday when David Frederick March, of Perrin Field Air Base and Hardy Johnson of Melissa, collided. Deputies Day and Hundley, reporting the accident, estimated $400 damage to the March car and $50 to Johnson's car.

Farmersville Night Watchman Balks Burglary

Three "ex-cons" and a 17-year-old youth, giving their addresses as Dallas, were arrested by City Officer and Night Watchman Nacey Harris, of Farmersville, about 2:30 a.m. Thursday. The four men were attempting to burglarize the Dyer Drug store in that East Collin town. They had backed their car to the rear door of the store and had torn the screen off a back window, when apprehended.

Harris, a former Dallas police officer, has been employeed in Farmersville for about three years as night watchman and City officer. He makes a check of the business district each hour, and reported he became suspicious of a car that had repeatedly circled the Dyer Drug store, then went to the rear alley and stopped. When Harris saw the car backed to the door, with the trunk door of the car open, he managed to get between the men and the car, where they carried a shot gun, covering them with a .45 pistol. He then handcuffed the four men, drove them to the city jail in Farmersville in their car, and later called county officers in McKinney, who picked them up and brought them to the Collin County jail in this city.

The Sheriff's Department filed charges of attempt to burglary against the four men Thursday. They gave their names as Donald Stone, Frankie Lee Turner, Robert Hubbard and Jackie Smith.

Sheriff Floyd Williams reported Friday that the men were also wanted in Dallas, Palestine and Bonham.

Loaded Truck Overturns; $4,000 Damage

A six-wheel truck loaded with electrical equipment, turned over at the intersection of Highways 121 and 289 in West Collin, Friday morning, causing $4,000 damage to the truck and contents. Carl Erick Sonstom, of Las Angeles, Calif., driver, escaped uninjured. The truck was enroute to Los Angeles from Medford, Conn.

The other car in the accident was driven by Ebb Copeland of McKinney. $200 damage was estimated to the car.

Deputies Jim Standerfer and Robert Ramsey investigated the accident.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

A quantity of groceries was taken from J. Frank Burgess's store at Roberts Crossing in the Chambers-Collin County section Saturday night.

A quantity of gasoline was taken from the Texaco tank at Princeton. About 20 gallons of gasoline were taken from the Texaco tank, reports Will D. Rhea, agent.

Mrs. Lee Crockett and Mrs. Hugh Dixon visited Thursday in the D. N. Pharr home at Lucas.

Monday and Tuesday at the Ritz Theatre March and Mary Brian in "The Royal Family of Broadway."

We now have in stock some Dunlop tire covers. Call by our station and get one. Marshall Hardware, manager.

Lela Crockett is leader for the Christian Endeavor program at the East Christian Church Sunday evening. Others on program are Ida Burgess Samples, Edna Blankenship, A. J. Burgett, Charles Collier, Bessie Love, Lois Wright, Margaret Hudson, Howard Nelson, Vernon Vest, Estell Isabell, Leonard Vest, Ruth Smith and Claude Tarpley.

The Senior Epworth League of the First Methodist Church will have a business meeting tonight at the church, announces the president, Frank Gurnee.

Misses Mary Dooley Nannie D. Dyer and Emma Lee Presley, students in the Dallas Technical Commercial Art School, spent the week-end at their homes here.

Hammond More is in Dallas to attend a meeting of Eat Secretaries.

Plans are underway for the annual Spring Style Show, by McKinney merchants. The show will be at the Ritz Theatre with local people taking part as models.

Miss Louise Boyd of Mexia, student at C.I.A., Denton, spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson.

Arthur Field Heard was in town Dallas Sunday visiting home folks.

Mrs. Henry Barlow has returned from a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barlow, in New York.

Mrs. Fred Emerson received the D. A. R. prize for the best paper on this week. The club flower went to Mrs. J. Ollie Smith and Mrs. Fitzhugh Newsome.

Chas. M. Cooper is attending a J. C. Penney Company convention in Dallas.

Earl Orendorff of the Trinity community has opened up a service station half way between Anna and Melissa. He will sell Sinclair products and carry a line of groceries and cold drinks.

The Berean Class of the Central Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. E. O. Whitsell for a business and social meeting. The occasion was a "spend-the-day" affair, with a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Clarence Hill has nicely repainted his home.

The Allen P-TA will sponsor a frolic at the school Friday night. Mrs. W. G. Cundiff and Mrs. J. S. Henderson, members of the social committee, announce an interesting program is planned.

Miss Catherine Griffin, primary teacher in the Prosper school, reports that arbor day will be observed with appropriate exercises there on February 22. Several George Washington Memorial trees will be planted on the school campus. One of the trees is being donated by the newly organized Standard Club of Prosper.

The Grand Jury has returned 59 indictments after a busy five-day session. There were 16 indictments for liquor sales, with burglary second on the list.

Thos. Johnson, a regent of Texas Tech college at Lubbock, has been here on school business the past few days.

Judge A. M. Wolford and J. A. Garrison visited the new oil well being drilled in the Millwood community. The well is down 400 feet and the indication looks good.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Howard have moved to the Press Hays place in the Bloomdale community. Mr. and Mrs. Hays moved to McKinney.

R. E. Highsaw of Culleoka transacted business here Thursday.

A candy and sandwich social was held at the home of Mrs. S. N. Vest Friday night for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor. Officers of the society are Ruth Simerly, president; Bennie Love, vice president and Lela Crockett, secretary-treasurer.

The Art Club had a most enjoyable meeting with Mrs. Roy Heathington. The program was given by Miss Geneva Horn who discussed "Interior Decorating" and Mrs. A. M. Wolord, who talked on "Color."

The McKinney High Lion cagers trimmed Greenville 33 to 28, at the coliseum here Friday night. Outstanding from McKinney were Walker, Petty and Moore. The McKinney girls' team defeated Viney Grove by a score of 32 to 13. Cundiff, Wright and Ballew led the Lionesses.

Troop 302 of the First Methodist Church, entertained with a banquet which was declared a big success by the more than 50 scouts, fathers and other guests attending. C. M. Cooper Sr., was toastmaster and George Reinheardt was the speaker on "What is a Boy Scout."

Burglars broke into the warehouse of the Cities Service and

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex. — Accusations and denials fill the air as investigators dig into details of how U.S. Trust and Guaranty and other now-defunct companies operated.

Rep. Reed McDaniel of Waco, U.S. Trust and house committee member, charged A. B. Shoemaker attempted to influence legislation.

McDaniel said he supervised a bill to bring such companies under regulation and voted for it, which passed. He said Shoemaker tried to influence him against voting on HB [illegible].

State Sen. R. C. Lanford of Shreveport, chairman of the senate committee which investigated the legislative activities of Shoemaker, McDaniel and Lanford denied the charges.

Rep. Albert Fountain, examiner for the Commissioner, examined the books of the Houston bank and found that U.S. Trust had a bank deposit of $250,000. But, said Alfred, this was $50,000 in cash and a note for $200,000 with no restriction against drawing on the account.

Bank officials immediately denied this. They declared they had proven in court that there was no restriction against this account.

Alfred also testified that the Insurance Commission received information in a report in September, 1954, that would have stralled U.S. Trust then.

Two executives of large legal reserve life companies presented industry views in an appearance before the senate committee. Emphasizing Texas legal reserve life companies' long record of no loss to policyholders, they declared they felt such companies had been unfairly damaged by recent developments.

Present insurance laws are adequate, they said. The problem now is enforcement. Along this line they proposed the possibility of a settlement with safe power to administer the affairs of the companies. They suggested the appointment of a receiver from Gov. Allan Shivers. These companies, he said, had asked his help during the last session of the legislature to get on the present three-man board.

U.S. Trust operated without a license from May 31, 1955 until put into receivership Dec. 12, an Insurance Commission attorney told the senate investigating committee. Paul Conner said that all company licenses expire May 31.

"There is a great understanding" the company operating until the commission takes action to deny a new license.

Quizzing of employees brought out strengthened conception of U.S. Trust as a one-man business but shed no light on whether more than a $50,000 in cash withdrawals were used to buy influence. Former officers told the house committee that money from checks drawn to cash went to the president, and they had no knowledge of what he did with it.

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Revenue Fund in Red.

Texas' general revenue fund is $110,000 in the red — and it is expected to dip lower.

State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert said the deficit likely will continue until the spring payment of corporation franchise taxes replenish the general fund.

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Four Elections in 1956.

There will be an extra election in 1956 as the result of a legislative boner. The error will cost the state and some counties $200,000.

Nine constitutional amendments will be voted on in November. Eight were drawn properly. One, however, calls for a vote on the General election day is Nov. 6 — the first Tuesday. Therefore the state must call an election th following week in order that the ninth amendment may be legally voted upon. That will be Nov. 13.

The "troublesome" amendment would permit the state to spend up to $1,500,000 a year in aid to dependent persons over 18 years of age who are mentally or physically totally disabled.

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Supporters Write Shepperd.

Rumors that Attorney General John Ben Shepperd planned a quiet retirement to private life following this term in office have sparked a drive by his friends to keep him in public office. Not only has Shepperd been besieged by calls, wires and letters urging that he stay in Texas government, but reports have it that supporters have formed a campaign chest ample for any contested race.

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Evidence Withheld.

An accusation of hampering the investigation of a murder case has been made against Ronnie Dugger, editor of the Texas Observer, a political tabloid published in Austin. District Attorney Ralph Prince leveled the charges from Longview. He said Dugger would be called before the grand jury there to explain why he had failed to turn over "important evidence" in bullet which Dugger found at the scene of a shooting. Turning over of such evidence is required by law, Prince pointed out. The grand jury is investigating the death of a Gregg Co. Negro Youth. Dugger denied a statement by Prince that he was trying to "create racial unrest in the area."

Cathedral Players To Open Season In Dallas, Thursday

The Cathedral Players of St. Matthew's Episcopal Cathedral, 5100 Ross Avenue, Dallas will open their first show of the season in the Great Hall at 8:15 pm. Thursday, February 2nd. "The Velvet Glove" a comedy by Rosemary Casey will be the production under the direction of Nathan Will, widely known in Dallas theatrical circles. The play will be repeated Friday and Saturday nights.

Recently re-organized under the managing directorship of Father William C. Buck this non-denominational group has attracted a cast of performers experienced in professional and non-professional theatre work and includes Shirley Holmes, H. Bush Morgan, Dixie Virginia Broneche, Geoffrey Sillcarn, Margaret Dixon, S. Warner Stought, Nancy Ireland, Henrietta Magleon, Richard Coffey, and Robert O. Hunter.

The heartwarming comedy which won a Christopher award had a healthy Broadway run during the 1949-50 season, starring Grace George and the late Walter Hampden. The play concerns the crisis arising in a Catholic Convent School when the history professor is suspected by the Bishop of advancing Communistic ideas in his classes.

Admission tickets may be purchased at the door any performance night for $1.50.

Mrs. Lena Shoemaker Passes Away Monday Morning In Ft. Worth

Mrs. Lena Mae Shoemaker, 37, 1010 Garbey Street, Fort Worth, passed away at her home there Monday at 11:20 a.m. She was a former resident of McKinney and was a member of the South Side Assembly of God Church here.

She was born October 27, 1918, and had been ill for nine months preceding her death.

Surviving are her husband, Ernest F. Shoemaker, of Fort Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Louis Stephens Jr. of McKinney; her parent, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Rich of Fort Worth; one brother, J. B. Rich, of Forth Worth; and three sisters, Mrs. Buster Brown, of Fort Worth, Mrs. John R. Showell, of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. A. J. Comfort of McKinney.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Turrentine-Jackson Funeral Chapel, conducted by Rev. R. B. Ring, pastor of the South Side Assembly of God Church here, with burial in Highland Cemetery, at Melissa.

Members of the South Side Assembly of God Church were pallbearers.

East Christian Group Attends Youth Meeting

The East Christian Church had 30 young people in attendance at the Clear View Christian Church, of Dallas, last Friday evening. A total of 204 persons were in attendance.

James Rutherford Jr., minister of the First Christian Church, Temple, brought a "challenging message to the young people."

The next youth rally is scheduled for February 23 at the Haltom City Christian Church, Fort Worth.

Read The Want Ads

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Seen About Town

By CAPT. ROY F. HALL

Had to take my daughter to the bus station Monday morning at five o'clock and saw a total of six cars parked on the square and on Louisiana Street. This is the way it should be all the time. If we put enough pressure on City Hall maybe we could keep our city clean of cars, and you and I could find a place to park. Was out of pipe tobacco that morning, and came back by Ford's grocery on Market Square to stock up. He was open of course, and this reminds me of a sign I saw on a restaurant in Sherman. It read: "This Place Opens at Six In The Morning And Never Closes." Now I wonder how that can be?

Saw a young man on the north side of the square smoking such a big cigar last week, that I stopped and made speech. What caused me to stop was the fact that he was about nine years of age, and the weed looked all out of proportion in his young mouth. Told me his name with the understanding that I not divulge it in the paper. He said he had been smoking cigars over a year, and only the best — that. The one he had cost a dime, and he bought it at a place in town where he had friends who would keep his secret. He was disturbed that I saw him with it, as he had just come out of a store and forgot to take it out of his mouth. He said that he smoked one cigar through the whole day, by nursing it along. I told that the first he ever smoked did not make him the least sick. Tactful young fellow too. I looked at my pipe and said that when he got big enough he was going to change over to a pipe. We exchanged felicitations and parted.

People seem to delight in keeping me guessing. A lady visiting at our house asked me the other day what kind of music I liked. I told her Jack Benny sounded pretty good and that the Burrus Mill and Elevator boys and girls made swell good stuff on the TV. She sort of drew her chin in and said, "I mean among the great composers. Don't you care for real music?" I said what she meant and listened to say: "Yes, I do. I like Wurgner on the piano." She looked funny at me. "Why on the piano?" she asked. "Well," I said, not knowing of course, just why I did, "You can get more crash and tone out of him there than on other instruments." The lady's next words were on the cool side. I thought so, too, and turned and went walking to my wife. Now what's wrong with old Wilhelmina's efforts. I'd like to know.

Anyhow, no use for her to agent, I thought like that.

Was asked Saturday if it is possible to find out who the first child born in Collin County was, and who was the first in McKinney. As I happened to know, perhaps you would like to know. Cynthia Dunn, later the wife of Uncle Frank Dunn, was the first child born in the new county of Collin, and Georeann Clement was the first born in the town of McKinney. Georeann married Bo Moore, and the Moore boys of Melissa are her sons. Ike and Winnifred, Cynthia (Dunn) Hunt has a daughter, living in McKinney, Mrs. Alma Younger, 115 South Morris Street. Cynthia was born two miles North of McKinney, the daughter of Lola Dunn, who married one of Jack McGarraugh's daughters. Georgeann was born in Lovejoy's store, later the old Lou

LOCAL FURNITURE DEALERS ATTEND WINTER MARKETS

L. W. (Wilbur) Thompson (seated) is talking with Knox Henderson, Jr. and Chance McClure of the representative firm, the McKinney Furniture Co., are shown area. Charles E. Hall, Johnson Furniture Co., are shown area. Charles E. Hall, Jr. is shown inspecting the merchandise in the The McKinney Furniture Co. showroom is among the 25,000 buyers from the Atlanta Furniture Mart. These furniture stores will attend the Winter Furniture Markets in Dallas and Atlanta during the next two weeks. (Staff Photo by Jerome Belden)

With The Home Demonstration AGENT

BY MRS. LURLINE DASPIT

Success In Freezing Foods

Freezing is the simplest and most convenient way to preserve foods at home. It keeps natural color, fresh flavor and food values of most fruits and vegetables better than other methods of food preservation.

Five factors in quality production are: careful preparation, proper packaging, correct loading of freezer for quick freezing, proper storage temperature and length of storage in freezer. These factors determine food quality and success in freezing the product.

Proper method and promptness in handling, cutting and freezing fresh fruits and vegetables to retain quality are necessary for best results.

Moisture-vapor proof packaging materials should be used. Be sure packages are durable, sealed tightly and properly labeled. Label with name of product, date packaged and number of pounds or servings.

Fruits and vegetables should be frozen as soon as possible after picking. Don't let them stand around. Loss of quality is rapid.

Fruits and vegetables should be frozen in small quantities at one time. Freeze not more than 2 pounds per pound of freezer capacity per 24 hours.

Fresh fruits should be prepared for freezing in the same way you would prepare them for serving. Wash, peel, pit, slice, crush, and sweeten as desired. Sweeten to taste. Use sugar or light corn syrup.

Vegetables should be blanched before freezing. Blanching is a short scalding in boiling water or steam. It helps retain color, flavor and vitamin content, checks enzyme action that causes loss of quality, and softens vegetables so they can be packed more closely. Blanching also helps to clean the surface of the vegetable.

Cool vegetables quickly after blanching by placing in cold water or under cold running water. Drain well before packaging.

Leave headspace in containers for expansion of food during freezing. Fruit juices need about ½ inch headspace per pint. Fruits packed in sugar or syrup need about ½ inch headspace per pint. Vegetables need little or no headspace.

Exclude air from packages. Press out air pockets in bags. Wrap tightly. Seal moisture-vapor proof packages by pressing out air and sealing with freezer tape. Use rubber bands on bags.

Label packages with name of product, date packaged and number of pounds or servings.

Freeze foods at once after packaging. Place packages against freezing surface or in contact with other packages already frozen. Allow space between packages for air circulation.

Frozen food will not "freeze ahead."

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By V. L. DAHLBERG

Starting Baby Chicks

Poultrymen have been to be adapting practices of broiler producers when starting chicks for egg or placement stock.

Broiler chicks are provided on square foot per bird, and are kept confined to the house until market-ed — about nine weeks of age. There is an increase in the practice of continuing egg production chicks during the brooding period. It protects the chicks from the hazards of weather and parasites of the open range.

Oil and gas burnooders are popular in Texas. They should be large enough to provide the heat needs for 500 chicks per brooder stove.

One inch of feeder space should be provided for each chick started. The feeders should be well distributed around the stove, arranged like the spokes of a wheel.

At least one one-gallon water fountain should be provided for each 100 chicks started and be distributed between the feeders. Many poultrymen supplement this with additional quart-size water jars the first week.

Before the chicks arrive, everything should be set up and be completely ready. The brooder stove temperature should be adjusted to 95 degrees, 2 inches above the floor at the edge of the hover.

If the preparations have been well made, the poultryman can then step back and enjoy watching his chicks take off on a good start towards a useful life.

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A Suggested Vaccination Program For Chickens

Incomplete vaccination programs have reportedly resulted in severe production drops in some laying flocks.

Egg production has reportedly fallen off at the rate of 10 to 5 percent per day in some flocks. Had vaccination programs for newcastle, infectious bronchitis and fowl pox been complete the severeness of this drop could have been prevented.

Newcastle, infectious bronchitis and fowl pox are usually more a problem on a farm where birds of different ages are maintained.

There are methods which can be followed to prevent disease, and four weeks of age. The drinking water method using B-1 type vaccine is a good one.

Vaccination for bronchitis should take place at six weeks of age using the same method. If an outbreak occurs naturally before that age, says Wermeli, the result is the same as exposure to the vaccine and further vaccination is not needed.

At eight weeks of age, birds should be vaccinated for fowl pox using the wing-stab method. After 10 days, one-fourth of the flock should be checked for a "take." If the take is not close to 100 percent, then it is advisable to revaccinate the entire flock.

As the birds are moved to the laying house, revaccination for newcastle should occur using the B-1 type vaccine.

Methods of vaccination such as individual application to the eye or nose, and the use of dust or spray may be chosen. In using a vaccine, however, follow the recommendation of the manufacture in detail.

Chickens even after having been vaccinated one or more times against newcastle may contract a respiratory form of the disease which usually presists only four to five days. This however may not seriously affect egg production.

Sgt. Ellis Attends Marine School In Olathe, Kansas

Marine Sgt. James A. Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis, of 708 Clark St., McKinney, Texas, and husband of the former Miss Joyce E. Hutchinson of Santa Ana, Calif., is attending the Technician Course of the Grand Controlled Approach School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Olathe, Kans.

Before entering the Marine Corps, in January 1951 he was graduated from Boyd High School, in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sims, of Farmers Branch, visited in McKinney, Wednesday.

England's Cleaners In Business In McKinney 29 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Wofford Thompson Jr., of San Antonio, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wofford Thompson Sr., in this city.

Prosper Wildcats Lead North Texas Amateur League

The Prosper Wildcats, members of the North Texas Amateur Basketball League, defeated Gunter Thursday night, 76 to 42, in Gunter to move into undisputed possession of first place in the North Texas Amateur Basketball League race.

In the opening game of a doubleheader at Gunter, Halliburton Oil Company gained a third place tie with McKinney by dumping the Tom Bean Kats, 58-50. In games at Westminster Southmayd nudged Sherman 57-48, and McKinney downed Westminster 60-52.

In the Prosper-Gunter showdown battle, the Wildcats completely outclassed the Gunter quintet as they led by lopsided margins all the way. Jim Huges, Prosper's classy center, provided the spark for the victory as he pumped in 28 points.

Russell Hunter led the Gunter scoring as he bagged in 14.

Hank Carter paced Halliburton to its win over Tom Bean as they up and knock game as he wound up with 14 points. Jerry Taylor netted 16 to pace the losers. McKinney had only six players in uniform at game time and one of them was injured in the first quarter, but they held on to take the victory.

Plano Holds 12-A Lead Wins By 77-52

Plano retained its lead in District 12-A competition at Plano Tuesday night, whipping Wilmer-Hutchins, 77-52, for its seventh victory in eight district starts.

The Wildcats led, 42-24, at the half and were never pressed. Dicie Braden was high for the losers with 24. Marion Turner paced the Jaspers with 22.

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Wilmer-Hutchins.

	Fg	Ft	Fl	Tp
Turner	9	4	4	22
Clifton	0	0	3	0
Parma	2	1	0	5
Liebel	1	0	1	4
Sturdivant	2	1	2	11
Shahan	1	0	1	2
White	1	0	1	2
Quesenbery	1	1	1	3
TOTALS	22	8	12	52

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Plano.

	Fg	Ft	Fl	Tp
Allman	3	1	4	7
S. Shields	1	1	0	3
Braden	10	4	1	24
Calvert	2	0	1	4
T. Shields	9	3	1	20
Fuller	1	0	1	2
Dunn	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	31	15	8	77

Wilmer-Hutchins	7	17	16	52
Plano	22	21	18	77

Summary Of Sports Events In This County

Things are beginning to get real crowded at the top of the ladder in the girls' division of the West Zone of District 12-B basketball as play gets under way in the second round of the championship schedule.

The Celina boys are unbeaten in the West Zone and have a 6-0 record. Their closest rival, Alla, with a 5-1 record, is in second place and could tie the leaders by beating Melissa Friday, provided Frisco can defeat Celina.

In the East Zone it's still Wylie in both the boys' and girls' divisions. The Westminster girls are in the runner-up position in the E's along with Community. Both have won 4 and lost one game this season. Wylie has won 6 straight. In the boys' division, Wylie has a 6-0 mark and Community and Anna are tied for second with 3-2 records.

Tuesday night results were as follows: Allen girls beat Alla boys and Alla boys downed Allen boys (scores not available; Prosper girls 48, Frisco 31; Frisco boys 63, Melissa 23; Celina boys 69, Melissa 39; Westminster girls 66, Princeton 27; Princeton boys 60, Westminster 39; Wylie girls 63, Anna 35; Wylie boys 73, Anna 34; Community boys and girls beat Blue Ridge (scores not available).

The Plano Wildcats continued unbeaten and led District 12-A with a 60-49 win Tuesday night over Duncanville. McKinney's Lions lost to Paris 90-58 the same night.

McKinney students at Texas Christian University, who are home for the mid-term holidays are Miss Shirley Reddell, Miss Pat LaRoe, Miss Kate Tom Staples, Miss Beverly Colling, Miss Holly Redden, Charles Pat Dowell, H. D. Mouzon III, Tom Crum, and Jim Henry Pennington.

SECOND MEDAL — Sverre Stenersen of Norway crosses finish line to win Nordic Combined Ski competition event in seventh Winter Olympiad at Cortina, Italy. Stenersen's win, with an aggregate of 455 points, gave Norway its second gold medal in games. (NEA Telephoto)

Gainesville Wins Over M'Kinney By Score 64-57

Gainesville claimed a District 3-AAA win at Gainesville Friday night by trimming the McKinney Lions 64-57 in a cellar battle.

Richard Huckler with 15, Billy Latham with 14 and Sonny Gilmore with 13 led Gainesville. Johnny Biggs topped McKinney with 18 points.

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Gainesville

	Fg	Ft	Fl	Tp
Latham	6	2	3	14
Gilmore	4	5	2	13
Huckler	5	5	3	15
Timberlake	2	5	4	9
D. Holt	4	0	4	8
J. Holt	1	3	3	5
TOTALS	22	20	21	64

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McKinney

	Fg	Ft	Fl	Tp
Mitchell	2	6	4	10
Biggs	5	8	5	18
Lindsey	0	0	2	0
Byrd	4	5	0	13
Stewart	4	2	3	10
Jenkins	1	2	4	4
Christian	0	2	3	2
TOTALS	16	25	21	57

Gainesville	17	23	15	8—64
McKinney	13	16	18	13—57

Alla Splits Twin Cage Bill With Allen

Alla boys racked up their fifth 40B district game win Tuesday night on the Alla hardwoods as they swept past Allen 46 to 19. In the eye-opener, Alla girls fizzled out on the short end of a 55 to 34 score to drop into third place in district play.

Playing a hot and cold game, the local lions could put together but 15 points in the first half as the visitors bucketed 35. The second half was a catch up affair that found the Alla girls narrowing the margin to 11 points, but never able to tighen the gap closer.

Shirley Dugger meshed 22 points for the winners and Sue McDonald plunked in 24 for Alla and game high scorer.

Alla boys found the range in the third quarter after a shaky first half they found the local seige guns falling short of their mark. Defensively, Allen was held to 3 points in the first frame and 5 in the second as Alla led at half time 21 to 8. Alla lads pushed in 21 points in the third frame before the reserves took over. High for the visitors was Frank Svoboda with 14 while Ken Stratton forom Allen had 5.

Box score for Boys:

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Alla.

	Fg	Ft	Fl	Tp
Logan	4	1	0	9
Reed	2	1	0	5
Johnson	3	0	1	6
Svoboda	7	0	4	14
Willard	1	0	2	2
Svoboda, J.	4	0	2	8
Hickman	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	22	2	11	46

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Allen.

Stratton, K.	1	3	2	5
Sportsman	2	1	2	5
Lanier	0	2	2	2
Davidson	1	2	0	4
Masters	0	1	0	1
Erickson	-	0	0	2
TOTALS	5	9	6	19

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Score by Quarters.

Alla	10	11	21	4—46
Allen	3	5	6	5—19

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Forehand of Burrow are recovering from the flu.

Dewey Johnson "Coach Of Year" In New Mexico

Dewey Johnson, former football coach in McKinney, who the past year coached the Class AA state champion Roswell Coyotes, of Roswell, New Mexico, was presented a trophy honoring him as New Mexico's Coach of the Year.

The presentation was made by Frank Livingston, president of the New Mexico Letterman's Club, at the group's second annual Coach of the Year Banquet.

Johnson was voted the award by coaches and sports writers throughout the state in a poll taken last December. Also presented awards at the banquet were 22 All-State players named to the consensus team in the same poll.

The banquet, attended by some 300 coaches, lettermen and guests, had as guest speaker Dick Clausen, newly appointed UNM grid coach and Larry (Moon) Mullins, Kansas State athletic director, who has since been named to the same job at Marquette University in Milwaukee.

Johnson, in accepting the award credited his players with responsibility for winning the award and said, "I really consider it an honor to be chosen from the outstanding coaches we have in New Mexico."

Johnson's Roswell Coyotes won their second Class AA crown in three years under his coaching on December 2 by downing Las Cruses 19 to 14. The Coyotes also won in 1953. Johnson, second year at the helm, beating Albuquerque 21 to 19.

A graduate of West Texas State College, Johnson started coaching at Midland where he was an assistant before serving time the marines. For the next four years he was assistant coach at Waco and for two years before moving to Roswell he was head coach at Boyd High School here.

Plano Still On Top In District 12-A

Plano ran into some Ruff weather Friday night in District 12-A basketball, but hopes to smoother sailing through its next five ports and a repeat as champion.

Carl Ruff, who became eligible only last week, shot the defending champs down with a 25-point splurge as Kaufman recorded a 74 to 69 upset. Big as the Kaufman players go, the 6-1 Ruff was probably just as valuable as a rebounder for Carlos Roberts' improving Lions.

The loss—first in district play for the Wildcats — kept Plano half a game ahead of Duncanville and a full game ahead of third-place Richardson. The latter pair meet Friday night at Richardson while Plano should have an easier week against Wilmer-Hutchins and Forney, both second division clubs.

Friday's unexpected happenings shot new interest in the race and could see it going down to the final night of action before a champ is determined. Plano travels to Duncanville on that night, Feb. 17, after having disposed of the Panthers at home last Tuesday night. That also was Duncanville's first loss.

Plano is still favored, heavily. The convincing victory over Duncanville led one district coach to observe:

"Duncanville has a good scoring punch in Leonard Bell and Clemmy Case, but Plano has a big experienced team. All five of their starters are cool and handle themselves well. They'll be hard to beat yet."

After its two games this week, Plano plays Rockwall and Richardson before closing with Duncanville. The Panthers play Rockwall and Richardson this week, then Forney, Kaufman and Wilmer-Hutchins.

District Standings.

	W	L	Pct
Plano	6	1	452
Duncanville	5	1	376
Richardson	5	2	386
Kaufman	3	3	346
Forney	1	4	268
Wil-Hute	2	5	345
Rockwall	0	7	276

346	6	0
327	5	1
322	5	2
373	3	3
295	1	4
422	2	5
363	0	7

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Last Week's Results.

Plano 60, Duncanville 49; Kaufman 64, Wilmer-Hutchins 60; Forney 41, Rockwall 40; Kaufman 74, Plano 67; Richardson 44, Rockwall 37; Wilmer-Hutchins 62, Forney 59.

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This Week's Schedule.

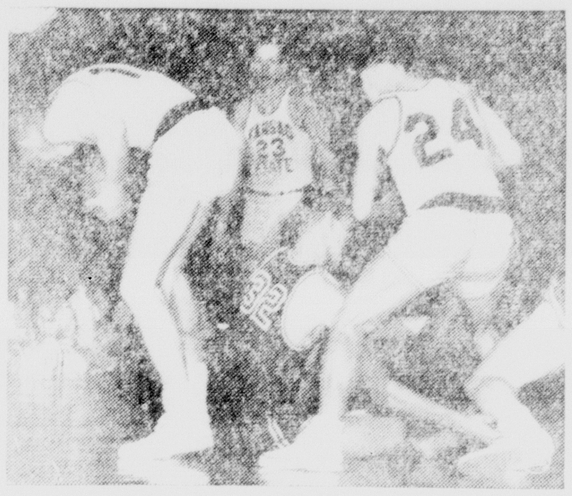
Monday — Kaufman at Forney.

Tuesday — Wilmer-Hutchins at Plano, Rockwall at Duncanville, Forney at Richardson.

Friday — Plano at Forney, Duncanville at Richardson, Kaufman at Rockwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lockett and children, of Fort Worth, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Gamble.

Mrs. A. V. Leeper and Mrs. Royal A. Ferris Jr. of Dallas, and Mrs. J. Ollie Smith were luncheon guests Tuesday of Mrs. J. McCarty Dowell Sr.



SCRAMBLE — Kansas States' Roy DeWitz whirls away from scramble for ball during game with Oklahoma at Manhattan, Kan., Monday. Still in fight for ball that isn't there are Cats' Fritz Schneider (23), Sooner Joe King (32), and K-States' Pachin Vicens (24). K-State won Big 7 tilt, 71-63. (NEA Telephoto)

Second Round District 13A Games Begin

In the opening of second round of play in District 13A basketball conference games, the Farmersville Tigerettes 32 to 24 to sweep a two-game series over the Whitewright lems.

The Farmers dropped deeper into District 13A cellar as the Whitewright Tigers race to a 53 to 37 win Tuesday night, January 24 at the Farmersville Gym.

Scores by quarters in the girls' game:

Whitewright	3	5	8	8—24
Farmersville	11	6	8	7—32

Boys' Game.

Whitewright	13	6	15	20—54
Farmersville	9	8	2	16—37

Friday night, January 27, Farmersville cagers go to Wolfe City in a 13-A district game.

The standings in District 13A for girls follows:

Teams	W	L	Pct
Cooper	6	0	1.000
Wolfe City	5	1	.833
Van Alstyne	3	3	.500
Farmersville	2	4	.333
Honey Grove	2	4	.333
Whitewright	2	6	.000

Boys Teams.

Teams	W	L	Pct
Cooper	6	0	1.000
Wolfe City	4	2	.667
Van Alstyne	3	3	.500
Whitewright	3	3	.500
Honey Grove	2	4	.333
Farmersville	0	6	.000

B. Paris, reporter

Lionesses Split Games With Irving

The McKinney High Lionesses coached by Miss Mary Edmunson split a doubleheader with Irving girls at Caldwell Gym here Friday night.

In the first game, McKinney won 49 to 37 with Doretha Litch hold scoring 22 points for the Lions and Beth Creed scoring 28 points for Irving. Miss Peggy Hugh is coach at Irving.

In the second game Irving won 61 to 40, with Linda Mize scoring 37 points for the winners. Beverly King was high scorer for the Lionesses, making 16 points.

The Lionesses meet the Denison girls team next Thursday night at Caldwell Gym. here.

New Football Loop Formed At Celina

The over-populated District 14, 6-man football loop of the past several years has been divided for 1956 and two new teams added, according to information coming out of a recent meeting at the high school in Celina.

District 14, 6-man, will have Blue Ridge, Westminster, Lone Oak, Community and Caddo Mills while the new District 15 will list teams from Celina, Allen, Prosper Gunter and Collinsville from the old loop plus Southmayd and Sadler.

R. E. Murray, superintendent at Celina, was named chairman of District 15.

Conference play in 15 will open October 4 and close November 15.

Leonard M. Cowley, independent real estate appraiser of Dallas, director of investments for the Great Southwest Life Insurance Company, inspected prospective mortgaged and loans on property here this week.

Glynn Edwards of the U. S. Air Force, is spending ten days in McKinney. He is enroute to Cheyenne, Wyo., where he will be stationed.

Alla Cagers Win Two Games From Melissa

In the opening second round game of District 13A play, Alla girls defeated Melissa lads 58-38 to record its fifth district win and the girls a 5 and 3 loss record.

In the opener Alla girls zoomed to a 42 to 12 half time lead and coasted the remaining half. Hunt Perry was the rocket for the Alla attack as she meshed 23 points followed by Georgia Peterman's 16. Martha Johnson was the block of the Melissa offense as she nabs 14 points.

In the nightcap, Melissa held a half-time lead of 23 to 20 before the Alla lads could muster an effective attack to score 2 points in the third frame. In team average, Alla averaged 384 for field attempt and a .615 on charity throws. Evelyn Svoboda led the winners with 15 points with Alla's jump-shot artist, Lynn Edgin, teamed up 12 points through the hoops. D. D. Cave scored 18 of Melissa's 51 points for his team's high score.

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Girls.

Score by quarters:

Alla	14	28	37	42—58
Melissa	12	20	23	38—51

Boys

Alla	12	30	41	56—58
Melissa	10	20	28	38—51

Celina Defeats Frisco To Hold Conference Lead

Coach Buddy Smith's boys and girls teams of Celina High School won over the Frisco team Friday night, at Frisco. In the boys game the score was 44 to 37 with Kenneth Berry and Louis Cave top scorers for Celina. Frisco's leading scorers were Danny Smotherman and Bobby Mays. Bobby Savage is coach for the Frisco Boys.

In the girls game, Celina won 62 to 28, with Gail Berry making 26 points for Celina. Shirley Burton 16 and Geneva Estes 10 points for Celina. The high points for Frisco were made by Linda Carter and Vande Venter. James Marion coaches the girls team at Frisco.

The win gives the boys team of Celina a hold on first place in 42B conference play.

Fishing Through Eyes of a Fish

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (INS) — Karl T. Lagler, chairman of the University of Michigan's Department of Fisheries, advises anglers to try to look at fishing through the eyes of a fish.

Lagler says don't be a one-spot or a one-bait fisherman. "You'd never find a hunter sitting in one spot all day," he says, "and yet look at how many fishermen just sit and wait for the fish to come to them."

Lagler suggests that anyone who really wants to catch something go after it.

First, the professor says, cast along the shoreline with a floating diving lure. If you don't hook any there, cast into deeper water using a sinking bait which will plumb the depths.

If the fish still are elusive, Lagler says try the heavier cover like lily pad fields, weed patches or the moss bed and cast a slow sinking lure next to this cover.

Langler says, by all means, approach quitely.

Douglas McCormack of Plano Route 2, is recuperating at his home there after undergoing surgery in the City-County Hospital here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cook Sr., and family of Fort Worth spent Sunday in Weston with his mother Mrs. R. C. Cook.

Local Students To Participate In Music Meet

Four McKinney High School students will participate in all-state music groups at the annual conference of the Texas Music Educators Association to be held in Dallas February 8-11.

Kathi Harris, a sophomore, and John Hooper, senior, will sing in the all-state choir under the direction of Peter Wilhousky. Gayle Horn, senior, will play harp in the all-state orchestra, and Janet Wolford also a senior, will play flute in the all-state band. All three groups will perform a Grand Concert at Fair Park Auditorium Friday, February 10, at 8:15 p. m.

Kathi, Johnny, and Janet won membership to the all-state music groups through auditions held at TCU December 10, and Gayle, by means of a tape recording sent to Austin. Janet was the only flute player chosen for this region out of the twenty-two who auditioned.

Mrs. John Hooper, Boyd High School choral director, and Band Director George McCoy will accompany the students.

Parents of the students are Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Harris, 1005 W. Louisiana; Dr. and Mrs. John Hooper, 215 N. Waddill; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Horn, 411 N. College; and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wofford, 501 N. Church.

NTSC Concert Band To Give Program Here February 21

The nationally-known North Texas State College concert band will be presented at McKinney H. S. on 21 February at 8:00 p. m. McKinney Band.

The 85-Piece band, under the direction of Maurice McAdow is appearing in McKinney, during their tour of East and South Texas, February 29 through March 6. This is the ninth consecutive year for the band to tour during which time they have appeared throughout the Southwest, Midwest and Southern States.

Personnel includes two faculty members from NTSC and three student soloists. The faculty members are Mr. John Haynie, of the brass department, and Mr. Manuel Meyer of the woodwind department.

Student soloists are Lowry Riggins, of Memphis, Tenn., oboist; Richard Renee of Tonkawa, Okla., clarientist; and Lida Oliver, of Texarkana, Ark., who plays baritone horn.

W. W. Housewright Is Named Director Of Bank At Wylie

W. W. Housewright, of Wylie, was recently made a director of the First State Bank there. He is vice president and cashier of the institution.

Housewright became associated with the bank in 1946 and has served as assistant cashier, cashier, and then in his present capacity. He replaces his father, the late E. Housewright, as a member of the board.

Union Security Lists Assets Over Million Dollars

The official statement of assets of the Union Security Life Insurance Company, of Greenville, as of December 31, 1955, shows assets well over the million dollar mark. Turrentine-Jackson is also associated with that company as official collector in this area.

The total asset figure of $1,003,299.14 was classified in the official statement as: Municipal and School District Bonds (carried at cost) ... $403,700.00; Insuranceed Building and Loan Stocks $325,000; U. S. Government Bonds (carried at cost) $225,000.00; Deposited in banks, $48,009.14; and Statutory Deposit with State Treasurer $1,500.00.

This statement was released recently and was signed by Joe B. Peters, president; H. Newman Malone, secretary; L. L. Bowman and Paul Mathews, directors. It appears in the advertising columns of the Daily Courier-Gazette.

Sec. M'Kay To Be Invited To State Mining Stand

WASHINGTON (INS) — Congressional investigators planned today to issue a formal invitation to Interior Secretary Douglas McKay to state definitely his department's stand in the Al Sarena Mining Company controversy.

Aides said Chairman W. Kerr Scott (D) N. C. would extend the opportunity to McKay on behalf of a Senate-House joint subcommittee investigating the granting of 303 acres of federal forest land to the firm.

Yesterday, under Secretary Clarence A. Davis defended as "normal" the Al Sarena Company's reported practice of cutting trees rather than digging gold on the property.

Davis has testified that he gave the company ownership of the land in Oregon's Rogue River National Forrest because the property was rich enough in gold, silver, lead and zinc to warrant mining development. He said the timber value was "not material."

Because the official concluded his second and final day as a witness, Sen. Richard L. Neuberger (D) Ore., asked: "Aren't you at all disturbed that since you granted patent in June, 1954, there have been no mining operations but a substantial lumber operation there?"

Davis replied: "No, I'm not disturbed. It's rather a normal thing to speak." He explained that he meant he would not "wonder" at such a thing in view of the "skepticism" that has been hurled during the investigation.

'Hush-Hush' Bill On Agency Stirs Up Fight

WASHINGTON (INS) — President Eisenhower, it has been learned on top authority, is preparing an all-out fight to block passage of a bipartisan Senate resolution calling for a watchdog committee on his hush-hush Central Intelligence agency.

Ike, who only two weeks ago appointed a high level citizens commission to check on CIA, is reportedly highly incensed at the countermove to give congress a vote in the secret agency's activities.

The president will probably have a staff fight on his hands. The resolution, introduced by Democratic Sen. Mike Mansfield, Mont., boasts 35 senate sponsors from both sides of the political aisle. It has already been favorably reported by the Senate Rules Committee and now awaits action in the upper chamber.

Among the 14 Republican sponsors are Senators of such widely divergent views as Karl E. Mundt, S. D., George Malone, Nev., and Herman Welker, Ida., openly considered right-wing; and Clifford Case, N. J., William Langer, N. D., and Margaret Chase Smith, Me., of the so-called liberal wing of the GOP.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hutt, of Bryan spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hutt, at Weston.

Russia Faced With New U. S. Challenge

UNITED NATIONREN N. Y. (INS) — Russia was faced today with a new U. S. challenge to work for peace through use of the "available" machinery in the United Nations.

U. S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, commenting on the Soviet offer of a friendship pact to President Eisenhower, reminded the Russians that the U. N. is well equipped for handling international disputes.

Lodge issued the reminder after Tuesday's session of the 14-nation U. N. Peace Observation Commission at which the Soviet Union again raised the question of Red China's admission to the 76-nation organization.

The American diplomat said the commission "demonstrated that we have available workable machinery which can be used in any case where there exists international tension."

He added that continued active support of the group, "as the United States has done," reaffirms "determination to have recourse only to peaceful means for settling international disputes."

Mr. Eisenhower, in rejecting the friendship pact proposed by Soviet premier Nikolai A. Bulganin last week, called for deeds instead of words. The President pointed out to Bulganin that both nations had pledged to work for peace when they joined the U. N.

18-Year-Old Blonde Is Rich School Girl

AMSTERDAM (INS)—An 18-year-old Dutch blonde—known to to her friends as Trix—is now one of the wealthiest schoolgirls in Europe. But she still plans to pedal her bicycle to classes.

Trix is more formally known as her Royal Highness Princess Beatrix Wilhelmina Armgard, the future queen of the Netherlands.

The crown princess was 18 yesterand thus came into an annual income equivalent to $84,000, and it's tax free.

She attends a state high school at Baarn, two miles from Amsterdam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCasland and son, Dick, of Garland, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rollins in this city. Dick, a graduate of A & M. College, is now working on his Master's Degree in the college. He is a graduate of McKinney High School.

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School News:

The Farmersville High School annual will be submitted for printing Tuesday. The student editor is Glenda Johnson, the assistant editor is Joel Cambrell. The annual is dedicated to Don Emory, the assistant football coach and the basketball coach for the school. Mrs. Grace Wright is the sponsor.

The Farmersville school term will be extended to May 25 because of the two days lost during the snow and inclement weather last week. It was originally planned to dismiss school May 18. In order to adjust the scheduled days, it has been decided to allow two days for Easter instead of one as formerly planned.

Mr. Wright, the high school principal, advises that the administrator's meeting was held at the Tatum Elementary School Wednesday evening. Mr. Pete Moseley, county superintendent, was in charge. Thirty-five were present.

Mr. Rex King and wife are beaming over a 7 lb. 3 oz. boy, Philip Rexton King put in his appearance at the Mitchell Clinic at exactly 7:30 Tues. Jan. 24th.

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Ingleside Club Meets.

The Ingleside Club met Wednesday, January 18, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Wright with Mrs. M. B. Smith as cohostess. Mrs. John Anderson, vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. E. J. Murchison, Jr., president. After the meeting was called to order Mrs. Anderson opened with prayer and gave the invocation. Thirteen members and one guest answered the roll call with a favorite scripture verse. The guest was Mrs. W. L. Gravnell. Mrs. Bobbie Aycock gave a discussion on Old Testament worship. Mrs. Jack Bampass told about the New Testament worship. The acting president then called the meeting to adjourn. The hostess served a salad and dessert course buffet style. Mrs. J. B. Honaker poured coffee. The next meeting is to be next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Jesse Harben.

We notice with the appearance of the sun Wednesday morning, W. C. Clemmons and W. F. Parmer were busy stringing off and driving stakes for the foundation of the new educational building of the Assembly of God Church.

Donald Eugene White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garvin White, arrived home Wednesday afternoon on a leave from the army. He has been stationed in Germany for the past year.

A pink and blue shower was given Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Bert Stanford with Mrs. Herman May as cohostess honoring Mrs. Albert Allbrook.

Church News.

A lectureship will be held at the Hill Street Church of Christ beginning Monday night, continuing through Friday night. A different speaker for each evening has been chosen as follows:

Monday evening: Otis Rowe, of Wolfe City. Bro. Rowe is a former minister of the church.

Tuesday evening: William Hatcher, of Garland.

Wednesday evening: J. C. Murphy of Cumby, Texas. Bro. Murphy is also a former minister of the church.

Thursday evening: Claude C. McQuiddy, of Sherman.

Friday evening: V. E. Howard, of Greenville.

J. W. Baze is the pastor.

Mrs. Maurine George is recuperating from an operation which she underwent several days ago. Mrs. George will again enter the hospital this week for a second operation. All of her friends wish her a very speedy recovery.

Dan Drain, head of the Drain Insurance Company has announced he will run for mayor of Farmersville. Mr. Drains owns a jewelry store in the city.

Neeey Harris, night watchman for Farmersville, did a good job in marching the four young men to jail and locking them up when they attempted to burglarize Dyer Drug Store Wednesday night.

The regular meeting of Den 4 of the Boy Scouts was held in the home of Mrs. Otis Wilder Thursday afternoon in celebration of Thomas Wilder's tenth birthday, January 28. Six boys, all members of Den. 4 were present. Refreshments of birthday cake and hot chocolate were served. Favors were given to each guest. Young Thomas was very happy for the many nice gifts which he received.

Mrs. Elmer Jones, group leader for the Girl Scouts, reports a most interesting meeting Thursday evening January 26, at which time the girls made plans for the father-daughter banquet to be held Valentine's Day. The girls received pictures of the flag ceremony taken at the charter meeting of the Chisolm Trail Council, in Greenville, recently. Mrs. Bill Taylor served refreshments on Angel food cake and cold drinks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carter, and son, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Davis and son, from Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wisdom during the week-end. They also helped to celebrate the birthday of Thomas Wilder, age 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wilder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Owens and daughter, of McKinney, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tackett, Friday evening. Ernest and Henry were buddies in the army.

"Deadly Earnest" To Be Given By Juniors February 10th.

The Junior class of the high school will give their play Friday evening, February 10th at the high school auditorium. The play is directed by E. M. Thompson, who is also sponsor of the class. The story titled "Deadly Earnest" is a three act comedy and was written by Donald Payton. The cast and characters are as follows:

"Henry Gilcrest" hero, played by Forest Gladden.

"Aunt Ethel" lady of middle age who runs a boarding house— played by Doris Shookberry.

"Margie" grown daughter of Aunt Ethel — played by Carol Hooper.

"Pumpkin" teenage daughter — played by Sandra Talley.

"Jill" teenage girlfriend of Pumpkin, played by Martha Brewer.

"Gladys" age 24, Henry's girl friend — played by Jackie Wright.

"Aunt Stella" Ethel's sister — played by Gayle Montgomery.

"Clarice" and "Ernestine" old maid aunts — Clarice played by Betty Knott, Ernestine by Gayle Harper.

"Ernie" boy in late twenties from Texas — played by Johnny McGraw.

"Mr. Bumpass" a short little man played by Jerry Sharman.

"Sleepy" Bumpas buddy — played by Dana Brown.

"C. F. Grimm" Ethel's boyfriend — played by Wayne Gaffin.

"Dr. Ernest" middle aged doctor — played by Jerry McDonald.

A pink and blue shower was given Thursday evening for Mrs. Albert Allbrook at the home of Mrs. Bert Stanford. Mrs. Herman May was the cohostess. Mrs. Dyral Edge registered the guests and there were 24 present. After playing some interesting games the gifts were presented. Refreshments of cranberry punch, cake and salted nuts were served.

A. M. SCOTT SPEAKS TO MATH CLASS

Young people make their own automobile insurance rates by observance of traffic safety rules, consumers' mathematics students were told by A. M. Scott, local insurance man.

Mr. Scott spoke to two consumers mathematics classes at Boyd High School in connection with their study on insurance.

Different types of automobile insurance were discussed, including public liability, bodily injury liability, and property damage insurance. Mr. Scott pointed out that a discount on policies is given to students who have completed a course in Drivers Education, which is offered at Boyd High.

Mr. Scott used actual policies as illustrations in explaining about personal property insurance. Students were told about fire insurance, how to determine the rate and how the premiums are figured on casualty and public liability insurance on property.

Mrs. Charles Burrus, consumers mathematics teacher said that Mr. Scott did an excellent job in helping the students gain a fuller understanding of insurance and realization of the need of it.

Funeral Services For Mrs. R. L. Davis Saturday In Dallas

Mrs. R. L. Davis, wife of the late Dr. Davis, a pioneer doctor of Collin County, passed away Friday, January 27 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Knapp, in Dallas. She had made her home there for the past two years.

Mrs. Davis was born near Farmersville, February 5, 1867, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Chapman, early settlers of that section. She had been a life-long member of the Baptist Church, her membership being in the First Baptist Church in McKinney.

Among the survivors are two brothers, Pinkney Chapman, of Greenville; Charlie Chapman, of Fort Worth; three sisters, Mrs. Roe Havens, of Crosbyton, Mrs. Harry Strickland, of Greenville, and Mrs. Sidney Russell of Emory; four daughters, Mrs. Z. W. Taylor, of McKinney, Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. M. M. Winzer and Mrs. Porter Cave all of Dallas; ten grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held Saturday, January 28 at 3 p. m. in the Ed C. Smith Funeral Parlor, 4103 Swiss Ave. Dallas, with interment in Restland Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Woodrow Davis, Winfred Taylor, Porter Cave, Maurice Winzer, S. S. Knapp, Robert Davis, Z. W. Taylor and Sam Davis, Jr.

T. E. Blackwell Will Be In Constable's Race In Precinct 1

T. E. BLACKWELL

To the voters of Constable Precinct No. 1:

I respectfully submit this to you as my candidacy for re-election to the office of Constable, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, of July 28, 1956. I sincerely thank you for your cooperation in the past and for the consideration of so many who urgently insist that I make the race again. I don't feel it needful to tell you very much about myself, having been with you and among you most of my life. I have a family to support and no other means of support.

My record of office as well as my life, is open for your inspection at all times. Since the election laws have ruled that all county office holders shall serve four year terms, I feel that I am entitled to another because I only got two years in this present term.

I promise if elected to continue to use my very best efforts and my many years of experience as a peace officer to make you an efficient Constable. Your kind consideration regarding this matter will be deeply appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,
T. E. BLACKWELL
(Pol. Adv.)

Tribute Paid To School Head Who Formerly Lived Here

We are in receipt of a copy of "The Yellow Jacket" publication of the Technical High School, at Memphis, Tenn. J. T. Highsaw, principal of the school, is a former Collin County boy, reared in Southeast Collin and for many years a teacher in this county before going to Memphis.

One article in the paper had particular interest in that it concerned Prof. Highsaw with comments made by Congressman Clifford Davis who had addressed the Tech High student body. The item as is appeared in "The Yellowjacket" is reproduced for our readers as follows:

"Congressman Clifford Davis recently addressed the Tech High student body telling them of his trip to Europe and Central America which he has just completed.

"One person who has had more influence on my life than anyone I know, besides my mother and father, is James T. Highsaw," Professor J. T. Highsaw, when he was my teacher, always told us we could go anywhere in the world we wanted to go. Mr. Highsaw taught his class much more than facts and debating. He filled us with ambition," declared Mr. Davis.

Mr. Highsaw, Tech principal, in introducing the speaker said, "I have known Clifford for a lifetime and know him to be a hard working, clear thinking, and valuable public servant. He has had an interesting and varied career in congress and is noted for his ability to give public addresses which he packs to the brim with facts and humor.

"During his sixteen years in Washington, Mr. Davis has served on some of the most outstanding committees in the House of Representatives. He is now on the public Works Committee."

After his speech Mr. Davis was entertained at a luncheon prepared and served by Miss Ada Millett's Foods Classes. Other guests included Principal J. T. High saw, Major Richard McClure, Coach James Sivert, Mrs. Maury Wade and Miss Margaret Kelly.

M. J. Reynolds Of Snow Hill Community Dies Wednesday

M. J. Reynolds, 83, of Route 1, Farmersville, in the Snow Hill Community, died at 2 p. m. in the Colonial Manor in this city. Funeral services were held Friday at 2:30 p. m. in the Snow Hill Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. T. E. Driggers of Wylie, Rev. T. C. Gerron of Lavon, and Rev. Ashley of Blue Ridge, with interment in Snow Hill Cemetery, directed by Fielder-Baker Funeral Home at Blue Ridge.

He was born August 18, 1873, in Mississippi, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buford C. Reynolds. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Boston Vanbevers and Mrs. Ray Tuckett, both of Blue Ridge, and eight sons, Elber Reynolds of Durant, Oklahoma, Oscar Reynolds of Wolfe City, Buster and Marion Reynolds of Dallas, Arthur and Talmadge Reynolds, both of Farmersville, Hogue Reynolds of Amarillo, Fonnie Reynolds of Blue Ridge; one brother, Arthur Reynolds of Itasca, Miss., 24 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

NEW VOTER

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell, of Garland, are the parents of a son, Carl Dewayne, born January 25. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mitchell of Weston, are the paternal grandparents.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith, of Wichita Falls, announced the arrival of a baby daughter born January 25 in a Wichita Falls Hospital. The young mother is the former Miss Mary Lee Tunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tunnell, of McKinney. The host of friends of the pround young parents here extend congratulations upon the new arrival. The little Miss weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces, and has been named Laura Frances.

IT'S A BOY

A baby son was born to Lieut. and Mrs. Walter V. Hankla, of Clearfield, Utah, on Friday. The new arrival, tipping the scales at 7 pounds and 13 ounces, has been named James Walter. He is the second son of Lieut. and Mrs. Hankle, who also have another year-old boy, William Lee Hankla. The young mother is the former Miss Ann Hollis of McKinney, being a daughter of Mrs. W. R. Hollis of this city. The happy parents are receiving congratulations from a host of friends upon the new addition to their family.

Miss Rita Bickley Sings Soprano In World Premier

A Farmersville student at Texas State College for Women, Rita Bickley, has been chosen to sing in the world premier performance of "Sabat Mater," a musical composition by Hungarian composer Ernst von Dohnanyi. The composition, written for two treble choirs and orchestra, was heard first Jan. 10 in Wichita Falls Memorial Auditorium.

Performing group are the TSCW Modern Choir, Denton Civic Boys Choir and the Wichita Falls Symphony Orchestra directed by a former student of Dr. Dohnanyi's, Ernst Daniell.

Music is based on the text of a 14th century hymn and was written for the Thursday before Palm Sunday. It is to be performed as one of four numbers in memorial 200th anniversary by the Wichita Falls Symphony.

Miss Bickley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bickley, 105 Wilcoxson. She is one of six sopranos in the Modern Choir to be selected to sing.

Dohnanyi's music for the first time blends and matches the voices qualities of two three-part treble choirs — first and second soprano and alto.

An European premiere of the work will be held in Liverpool, England in October, 1956. Music is to be published in this country in February and is expected to be a contribution of considerable importance to the music world.

Cadet Kuhne Makes Visitation Flight To Florida Air Base

Robert M. Kuhne, McKinney, is among a group of 50 University of Oklahoma Air Force ROTC cadets who made a between-semesters flight to the Palm Beach, Florida, air force base for a three day visitation.

The cadets were housed on the base while studying training and operations programs of the 1707th Air Transport Wing.

This was one of three flights scheduled during the 1955-56 school year for cadets of the OU unit. One group of 60 visited Norton and March air force bases in California during the Thanksgiving holidays, and similar contingent will fly to Washington, D. C. in the spring.

The Florida delegation was composed of one cadet from each basic freshman and sophomore class section, and two from each of the advanced junior and senior sections.

Kuhne, a senior majoring in zoology, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kuhne, formerly of McKinney but who recently moved to Arkansas. Cadet Kuhne is a graduate of McKinney High School where he was an outstanding athlete.

Plano Men Purchase Guernsey Sire From Alabama Breeder

PETERBOROUGH, N. H.—W. L. Moore & Gene Tilzey, Plano, Texas, have just purchased the Guernsey sire, Walker Farms Double Piper, from S. Ross Smith, Trussville, Alabama, according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

This richly-bred bull is out of the well-bred cow, Walker Farms Piper Fairy, that has three times been classified Very Good for type, and has two production records of 9,410 pounds of fat, made on three times daily milking for 305 days, as a senior two-year-old, and 11,064 pounds of milk and 595 pounds of fat, made on three times daily milking for 305 days, as a senior three-year-old. He is sired by Walker Farms Le Piper.

Ministers' Week Has Been Set February 6 To 9 In Dallas

Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, will be host Monday, Feb. 6, through Thursday, Feb. 9, to the twenty-first annual ministers' week, which attracts over 1,000 ministers and visitors from throughout the South Central Methodist Jurisdiction, including Texas, Oklahoma New Mexico, Louisiana, Arkansas Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska.

Fondren lecturer will be Rev. Eugene L. Smith, Ph. D., General Executive Secretary of the Division of World Missions, the Board of Missions, The Methodist Church. Dr. Smith is from New York City. Mrs. W. W. Fondren and the late Mr. Fondren established the lectures in 1949. Dr. Smith is the 47th speaker on the annual program. Mrs. Fondren resides in Houston.

Peyton lecturer is Rev. James T. Cleland, D. D. Professor of preaching and preacher to the university, Duke University. Dr. Cleland is the 12th annual lecturer on the foundation provided in 1944 by Mrs. C. W. Hall of Austin.

Jackson lecturer is Rev. Albert T. Mollegen, D. D., Professor of Christian ethics in the Protestant Episcopal Theological seminary in Virginia. Sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Jackson established the lectures in their memory in 1945. Dr. Mollegen is the tenth speaker in the annual series.

Alumni of Perkins School of Theology will have their sixth annual homecoming luncheon on Wednesday at 12:15 p. m. in the Umphrey Lee Student Center. Tickets may be secured on Monday or Tuesday at the registration desk in the foyer of McFarlin Memorial auditorium, where all the lectures will be held.

There will be a reception in honor of the lecturers in the student center on Monday at 9 p. m.

A. W. Jernigan Dies At Westminster Home From Heart Attack

Austin W. Jernigan, 74, of Westminster, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home Monday at 12:40 p. m. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Westminster Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. Lewis Earl Lee of Elmont, Rev. W. P. Carter of McKinney, Rev. Ross Murfee, of Festminster and Rev. Howard McSpadden, of Denton, with interment in Highland Cemetery directed by Flesher Funeral Home of Van Alstyne.

He was a native Texan, born January 12, 1882, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jernigan. He had been a deacon of the Westminster Baptist Church since 1903, and was chairman of the board for 25 years.

He was married to Miss Blanche Coffey, in Sherman, October 7, 1906. Surviving are his wife; three sons, Dr. J. S. Jernigan of Bryan; Dr. J. C. Jernigan of Kingsville and Dr. A. J. Jernigan, of Waco; three sisters, Mrs. J. E. Rosser, Mrs. J. F. Hoyle and Mrs. Pansy McDougal, all of Dallas.

Charles Chandler Is Honor Gradule At Denton College

Charles Ray Chandler, of McKinney, was one of six students graduating with high honors in winter commencement exercises at North Texas State College Denton Sunday. Joycelaine Moseley, of Allen, was one of 17 students graduating with honors.

Of the 253 graduates receiving diplomas, 217 were awarded bachelor's degrees, 33 master's degrees and three doctor's degrees.

Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Chandler, 711 White St., McKinney, majored in sociology.

Miss Moseley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell H. Moseley, Allen, majored in elementary education and was a member of Association for Childhood Education International, Senior Mary Arden and Kappa Delta Pi education honor societies.

Graveside Rites For Mrs. D. Work At 2 P. M. Friday

Graveside rites were held at Pecan Grove Cemetery here Friday afternoon about 2 o'clock for Mrs. D. Work, who died Wednesday at her home in Durant, Okla. The Harris Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Work was a native of Collin County, residing in the Lebanon and Frisco communities. She was the former Miss Hettie Roach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roach, and was married in the Lebanon community where Mr. Work was a druggest for many years prior to his death.

Mrs. Work was a charter member of the Frisco Baptist Church, and a member of the First Baptist Church in Durant at the time of her death. Funeral services were held there at 10:30 a. m. Friday.

She is survived by a daughter, Miss Isabell Work, of Durant, a nephew, Tom Roach, of Frisco, and two nieces, Miss Mary Roach, of Frisco, and Mrs. Cecil Height, of McKinney.

Ken Robinson Gets Masters Degree In Music At Seminary

Ken Robinson, Minister of Music and Education at First Baptist Church, Farmersville, was graduated from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth Friday.

Taking a Master of Religious Education degree, Robinson was one of 118 students graduating Friday. He received a bachelor of science in 1953 at Oklahoma Baptist College, Shawnee, Okla.

Mr. Robinson will continue to direct music and education at the Farmersville church, a position he has held since June 1955.

He worked with the Princeton Baptist Church in the same capacity before moving to Farmersville about a year ago.

Missionary Rally Is Scheduled For February 9, In Dallas

Plans have been made for a missionary rally to be sponsored by the North Texas Methodist Conference Board of Lay Activities at Highland Park Methodist Church, Dallas Thursday night, Feb. 9.

Speaker will be Dr. Eugene L. Smith of New York City, Executive Secretary of Methodist World Mission, the Bord of Missions who will give the Fondren Lectures for Ministers' Week at Southern Methodist University here Monday, Feb. 6-Thursday, Feb. 9.

Leaders in the planning were J. V. Folsom, North Texas Conference lay leaders, Ben Spurgin and Russell Smith, associate conference lay leader, and Bishop William C. Martin, all of Dallas.

Attendance of 2,000 persons has been set as a goal. Expectation is that they will come largely from the Dallas Northeast and Dallas Southwest districts and the three neighboring districts — Denton, Sherman-McKinney and Greenville. Attendance committee in each local church is the chairman of the official board, the chairman of the commission on mission and the president of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

"The missionary rally at Highland Park church will be our greatest opportunity in the new year to stir our people for missions," says Ben Spurgin.

At the suggestion of J. V. Folsom, plans will be presented on Feb. 9 to make a missionary rally an annual affair, probably with meetings held in three or four centers. This year's rally will be one of the winter projects of the conference board of lay activities.

Sgt. Jack Welborn, from the army recruiting office in Sherman, visited in McKinney Friday. Sgt. Welborn makes regular visits to McKinney each week on recruit duty. His headquarters are located at the McKinney post office.

W. L. McHone, who has been in the City-County Hospital for the past ten days, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Sgt. Latta Reports To Marshall Islands

Staff. Sgt. Malcolm Latta, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Latta, 1419 North College, McKinney, left Sunday for the West Coast where he will be sent by plane to the Marshall Islands, being formerly stationed in Tampa, Fla.

He spent several days visiting his parents, friends, and other relatives in McKinney, Dallas and Fort Worth.

Malcolm was raised here and is a graduate of Boyd High School. He joined the armed forces in 1942 and attended radio school in Fort Benning, Ga.

He went over seas as a radio operator for Headquarters Co., with the 90th, Division of General Patton's 3rd. Army. He served through out the European campaign. His was the first division to land on Normandy.

Best wishes are extended him on this new assignment.

East Collin Woman Passes Away After Extended Illness

Mrs. Laura Ethel Jackson, of Farmersville, died at her home there after a long illness. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church there, conducted by Rev. W. F. Lofland, Rev. Jerry Key and Rev. Grady May, with burial in the IOOF Cemetery.

She was born Nov. 13, 1900 in Honey Grove and had lived in Farmersville 38 years. His parents were Chesley M. and Rachel Elizabeth Woodard.

Survivors include her husband, Eddie Buel Jackson; one son Wesley E. Jackson, Nacogdoches; four daughters, Misses Barbara and Idadell Jackson, Farmersville, Mrs. Melba Gooch of Abilene and Mrs. Dixie Eller, Arlington; two grandchildren and one niece.

Pallbearers were Sam West, W. W. Evans, Alvis Coleman and J. L. Burke, Bill Abell and William Pennington.

Richard Hollis, student in Baylor University, Waco, spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. W. R. Hollis.

Jay Crum, who attends Texas University, in Austin, came in Sunday for the mid-term holidays.

W. S. Nichols Is Guest Of Rotarians In Farmersville

W. S. Nichols, administrator of the City-County Hospital, was in Farmersville recently where he addressed the Rotary Club, which met in the American Legion Hall. E. H. Pendleton was program chairman.

Mr. Nichols outlined plans for the new County Hospital, to be built in McKinney, but which will serve the entire county. He described the modern structure and the many facilities which it will have.

He was accompanied to the meeting by Judge W. E. Button.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Smith and little daughter, Patty Dorine, of College Station, are spending the week with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rollins, and other relatives here. Mr. Smith is a student in A&M College and is home for the between-terms holidays.

John Wiley Hackler Dies Monday Night In Dallas Hospital

John Wiley Hackler, 74, resident of Route 1, Wylie, died Monday night at 8:05 o'clock in St. Paul Hospital, Dallas. He was born in Wylie November 16, 1881, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Feilden L. Hackler.

He is survived by two sons, Max Hackler of Fort Worth and Cecil Hackler, of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. Inez Haddox of Los Angeles, Calif.; two brothers, George and Marion Hackler, both of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. Mittie Dempsey and Mrs. Lula Sachse, both of Dallas; two grandchildren, Mrs. Gail Stephenson of Dallas and Mrs. Jeanenne Brown, of Fort Worth, and two great-grandchildren, Debra Stephenson of Dallas and Chris Brown, of Fort Worth.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Wylie Methodist Church with burial in the Wylie Cemetery, directed by Crouch-Moore Funeral Home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tinsley had as their week-end guests their daughter, Mrs. Mike Williams and family, of Corsicana, and their son, Wesley Tinsley, and wife, of Dallas.

Father Of Mrs. Glen Petefish Passes Away In Canton

John M. Hudson, of Cantor, passed away Monday, January 23 after a heart attack. He had been in failing health for sometime. He was 77 years of age and had lived in Van Zandt county for some 50 years. He had been married over 55 years, and was a Mason, and a member of the Methodist Church.

His wife and several children survive, one of whom is Mrs. Glenn Petefish, this county.

Funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church at Canton, with burial in the High Cemetery.

Miss Mary Lee Powell, Baylor University Student, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Powell.

Mrs. Mollie Jennings Passes Away Friday Morning In Dallas

Mrs. Mary Josephine (Mollie) Jennings, 77, resident of Collin County most of her life, died at 11 a.m. Friday at the home of her son, Earl Jennings, 2774 Custer Drive, Dallas. She had resided there only a few months.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Chapel of the Turrentine-Jackson Funeral Home, conducted by Rev. H. C. Hoy, pastor of the First Methodist Church, with interment in the Chambersville Cemetery.

She was born March 12, 1878, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Blake and was married in 1894 to L. W. Jennings. She was a member of the Chambersville Methodist Church.

Surviving are a son, Earl Jennings of Dallas; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Miss Fletcher Anderson, of the McKinney Dry Goods Company and John Lowry and Mrs. Dora Keen, of the Style Shop, have been in Dallas this week attending markets where they are buying spring and summer merchandise for their stores in this city.

Mrs. L. T. Garrett, who has been confined to her home for several weeks, due to illness, is reported to be showing some improvement, which is pleasing news host of friends.

Weldon Cowan, Mayor of Nocona, was a dinner guest recently of his cousin, Mrs. W. O. Herron and Mr. Herron.

Cub Scouts Collect For March Of Dimes In Farmersville

Five of Farmersville's Cub Scout Dens collected $184.82 recently in the porch light parade held there for the March of Dimes. Odell Bilderback is chairman for the drive in that East Collin town.

Rev. A. H. Snider is able to be up after a seige of double pneumonia. Rev. Snider has a host of friends who will be pleased to learn that he is improving.

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Citizens Panel Ask Lift Of Atomic Secrecy

WASHINGTON (INS)—A top-level citizens panel placed before Congress today a report urging an end to much of the secrecy surrounding the atom and government financing, if necessary, to provide Nuclear power.

The nine-member group, headed by publisher Robert McKinney of Sant Fe, N. M., declared that all information concerning peacetime atomic reactors should be non-secret, and that a "free" market should be established for uranium.

The report conceded that there may be need for secrecy about U. S. attempts to harness the enormous heat of the H-bomb, because such power devices could produce vast quantities of atomic explosives.

The panel recommended the release of as much information a possible, but agreed that the "maximum interplay of ideas" is needed to achieve hydrogen generators that would operate at temperatures hotter than the sun.

Walter Reuther, UAW-CIO president, who served on the panel appointed last March to survey progress in peacetime atomic energy, filed a separate opinion, declaring, "We are not moving fast enough."

Reuther said the U. S. is lagging behind other countries in atomic power, and that this could be decisive in the cold war. He said only one station to generate electricity from the atom, at Shippingport, Pa., has been assured for the U. S. so far.

McKinney, at a news conference accompanying release of the report, listed plans for seven large atomic power plants. He said these are the responsible plans of responsible people, and that the panel hopes and believes they will be built.

He added that the report is clear that if private industry fails to take the full risk and burdens in these projects, the panel favors moving in with government funds to build one large demonstration power plant for each of the several reactor types.

Texas Rangers Appreciate A Helping Hand

AUSTIN, Tex. (INS) — Never let it be said that the Texas Rangers don't appreciate a helping hand.

The Texas Department of Public Safety announced today that four "official" Texas Ranger hats are en route to the Syracuse, N. Y., police department for the boys who recently nabbed Texas' "Most-Wanted" criminal.

The hats, expected to arrive in Syracuse by freight Feb. 2 or 3, are for Police Chief Harold Kelly, Deputy Chief Ben Roberts, Detective Sergeant Francis Ryan, and Detective Francis Garn.

All helped in the apprehension and return to a Texas mental institution of Howard Merl Pierson, who shocked the nation 20 years ago when he murdered his prominent mother and father in the Hills near Austin, Tex. Pierson was captured Dec. 16 after having escaped [illegible] three years earlier.

Egyptians Table Russia's Offer To Build Dam

CAIRO, (INS) — Egyptian premier Gamel Abdel Nasser was reported today to have quietly tabled Russia's offer to help build the high dam at Aswan on the upper Nile.

A government source said the premier is determined if possible, to complete foreign and arrangements with the West.

The U. S. and Britain in cooperation with the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the world bank) have offered unlimited assistance in the Aswan project.

Eugene Black, president of the bank, has been in Cairo discussing the project with Egyptian officials for the past three days.

According to the government spokesman, Nasser is not prepared to [illegible] Russia's offer to help finance the Egyptian surplus cotton.

The premier will not even consider the Russian offer, unless the present negotiations on the three-way Western package deal break down over procedural problems, of which there are many.

Willard Crockett of Chamberlain, Crockett & Brooks, Dallas, Texas, Original and Junior Member of Memphis [illegible] last week.

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Soviet Union Fires Minister Of Interior

MOSCOW (INS) — The Soviet Union announced today it has fired Interior Minister Sergei N. Kruglov as minister of interior.

A brief statement of the official Soviet government said that Kruglov had been relieved from his duties and that Nikolai P. Dudorov had been appointed to the post.

Dudorov is a relative unknown to foreigners. V. Kruglov, a certain political official served in the ministry since 1941 and headed it as its specific section.

He was appointed minister March of 1954 after the government was reorganized following the death of Premier Stalin.

Kruglov assumed the post in place of Lavrenti P. Beria, who was arrested on charges of criminal activities. Beria later was executed.

Dudorov was mentioned in the press last June as head of a department in the Moscow offices of the central committee of the Soviet Communist party, which is headed by first secretary Nikita S. Khrushchev.

Western observers noted that Kruglov's removal is the latest in a series of government shifts throughout the Soviet Union.

Last month, the premier of the Russian republic of the union was demoted. Earlier in January, the premier of Lithuania was removed from office. And in December, the first secretary of the Communist party in the Uzbek dismissed.

Westerners speculated that there might be some connection between these recent changes and the opening of the all-union Congress of the Soviet Communist party.

The ousted interior minister, 54, is a strongly-built six-footer, and was known among the foreign newsmen as an affable conversationalist at Moscow receptions.

He was responsible for security arrangements at the wartime Yalta, Potsdam and Tehran conferences of the big three.

For that work, he was awarded the U. S. Legion of Merit and the British Knight of the order of the British empire.

Kruglov also is a member of the party central committee.

Loren Odle, of Lufkin, recently spent a week in McKinney with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Odle. He was joined here over the week-end by his wife.

Mrs. Weldon Houser of Burrow is quite ill in a Greenville Hospital.

Three-Year-Old Girl Killed In Auto Fall

FORT WORTH, Tex. (INS) — A three-year old Fort Worth girl was killed yesterday when she fell from a moving automobile in Arlington.

Patricia Ann Bobo fell from the car despite the desperate efforts of her father, who was driving the car. He held onto one of the child's legs for 50 feet, but lost his grasp and she fell to the pavement.

Patricia Ann's mother, who fell from the car first when the door came open, suffered internal injuries.

The father, Foster Travis Bobo, a Fort Worth city fireman, said the family was returning from Dallas and Mrs. Bobo was leaning against the door asleep, with the child partially lying in her lap, when the door flew open.

Ft. Worth And Dallas Voters Approve Bonds

DALLAS, Tex. (INS) — Dallas voters have approved all eleven proposals of yesterday's special election, including ratification of an agreement for construction of a new water supply reservoir on the Sabine River and $41 million in bonds for city improvements.

The Sabine River contract under which Dallas agrees to pay some $20 million of the cost of the East Texas Reservoir and receive 80 per cent of the water, was carried 11,597 to 7,966.

FORT WORTH, Tex. (INS) — Fort Worth voters have overwhelmingly approved an $18 million city water and sewer revenue bond issue.

A better than two-to-one majority carried the issue in yesterday's election. The bond issue includes $2 million for a pipe line to bring water to Fort Worth from the Brazos river in the event of an emergency.

Senate Group To Vote Saturday On Farm Prices

WASHINGTON (INS) — The Senate agriculture committee has agreed to start voting at 10 a.m. (EST) Saturday on legislation aimed at raising farm prices.

Sen. Milton R. Young (R) N. D., a committeeman, predicted today the unit "will give President Eisenhower everything he asked for and probably more liberal provisions than he asked to dispose of farm surpluses."

But Young told an interviewer he believes the committee also will approve 90 percent price supports on top quality of wheat and cotton. The administration bitterly opposes a return to the high supports, which it blames for the accumulation of huge stocks of excess farm commodities.

Young said the price support provision will be flexible rather than rigid because it will be tied to quality. In this respect, it would be a compromise but one that is viewed as not at all satisactory to the administration.

Sen. Clinton P. Anderson (D) N. Mex., who opposes 90 percent supports, indicated to newsmen he thinks higher price props are being pressed to win votes in the presidential elections.

The support issue has split party lines but Democratic Congressional leaders all favor high price props. A veto would give them campaign fuel in the farm belt.

Young said he believes the committee will aprove wide discretion for agriculture Secretary Ezra Taft Benson to put the soil bank plan into effect. This was a major part of the President's nine-point farm program.

Miss Johnnie Jetton Spent Saturday in Dallas.

20-Year-Old Youth Sentenced To 15 Years

OKLAHOMA CITY (INS)—A 20-year-old youth only recently released from the state prison at Huntsville, Tex., after serving a five-year term from robbing a taxi driver was under 15-year sentence today for a similar offense in Oklahoma City.

The youth, Gerald Dewayne Pike, peaded guilty to an armed robbery charge yesterday and was sentenced by Judge William E. Fogg.

The charge grew from the robbing three years ago of cab driver Timithy Alonzo Corn. Pike admitted he took $30 from Corn and then forced him to drive to University Hospital where he freed a pal, J. C. McDonald, 17, who was being held after an operation.

The two went to Wichita Falls, Tex., where they robbed another taxi driver and forced him to take them to Altus, McDonald's hometown. They were captured there.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Giles and daughter, Maude Ann, of Dallas, visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Rob McCarley and Mrs. Hani Giles, at Westminster, recently.

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The Club women of Collin County, their families and friends are invited to attend the meeting with the Edelweiss Club of this city as hosts.

Miss Harker will speak to the group on Feb. 3 at 8:00 p. m. in First Baptist Church, 101 Church Street.

She holds a unique position among women employees of American railroad. Touring America from coast to coast she describes the delights of travel suggesting destinations and offering expert help on many travel problems.

Mrs. C. E. Wood and baby daughter, Christie Ann, of Texas City, spent Thursday in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Thomas, Jr. and family. Mrs. Wood and daughter are visiting her mother, Mrs. H. H. Standley, in this city for a couple of weeks.

County P-TA Council Meets In McKinney

The Collin County Council P-TA met Tuesday, January 10 at Carnegie. Mrs. Stewart Roddy, program chairman, in the First Christian Church, called the meeting to order and introduced Mrs. Lawrence Gholson, who brought an inspiring devotional. Lewis West welcomed the guests, followed by Mrs. Alice Morris, of Frisco, who gave the response.

The fifth grade students of J. L. Greer School, under the direction of Mrs. Ed Sweeney, gave several choral selections.

Mrs. G. B. Morgan, council president, presided over the business meeting at which time reports from each P-TA unit represented were given. There are fifteen units in the council. Chambersville won the cup for having the most representatives.

County Supt. Pete Moses was guest speaker talking on proposed bills and legislation pertaining to schools which proved most informative.

The meeting adjourned at noon and lunch was served in the Fellowship room of the church with the J. L. Greer P-TA as host.

The next County Council meeting will be in Allen on March 13.

Pierian Club Holds Call Meeting Friday

Thirteen members of the Pierian Club met at the library Friday, January 27 with the president, Mrs. R. C. Merritt, presiding. This was a call meeting with no program planned. Correspondence was read from the VA Hospital thanking the club for the lovely cake and coffee served on Sunday, January 8. An invitation was also read and accepted to join the Edelweiss Club for their program and tea Friday, February 3 at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. C. A. Sanders will entertain the club for the next regular meeting, February 10 at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jack Anderson To Appear On "Two For Money" TV Show

Mrs. Jack Anderson of this city and her sister, Mrs. Roland S. Torn of Houston, are leaving by plane Friday for New York to join their quadruplet sisters, Mrs. Robert T. Hall and Mrs. Robert W. Fowler, both of Oklahoma City, and their mother, Mrs. F. M. Keys, of Oklahoma City.

The quadruplets, reputed to be the world's oldest living quadruplets, are the former Misses Doberta, Mona, Leota and Mary Keys, who won world fame while attending Baylor University, Waco as the "Keys Quads."

The "quads" will appear on the "Two For the Money" Herb Shriner television show Saturday night, which may be seen here at 8 p. m. on Channel 4. These well-known sisters expect to remain in New York for several days sight-seeing.

Mary Class Of Waddill Street Church Meets

The Mary Class of the Waddill Street Baptist Church met Friday evening, with Mrs. A. L. Crawford after which the class song was sung by the group. Special projects of the class were discussed and a recreation period was led by Mrs. Jimmy Burris.

A refreshment plate of hot chocolate and cake was served to the group and a visitor, Mrs. Tommy Watson. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Josie Martin.

Roy Belts Are Given Surprise Party In Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belt of Dallas were entertained with a surprise party recently at their home. The Belts are former residnts of McKinney and Farmersville, moving to Dallas about a month ago.

About 35 guests visited in their new home with gifts and during the evening served punch and cake.

They have a host of friends here and elsewhere in the county to wish them much happiness in their new home.

Mrs. William Veltin, of Grand Rapids, Mich., spent the week-end in McKinney with her aunt, Miss Madeline Moses. Mrs. Veltin will be remembered as the former Miss Sharon Gateley of Dallas, who has often visited in McKinney.

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Marries Here Friday Evening

MRS. RONALD HENRY KLEMM

The Central Presbyterian Church was the scene of a beautiful wedding Friday evening, January 27 at 8 o'clock, when Miss Eva Joan Joplin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Joplin, 305 Henry Street, this city, became the bride of Ronald Henry Klemm. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Klemm, 1613 Nelson Street, this city.

Rev. Baldwin J. Stribling, pastor of the church, officiated at the impressive ceremony before an altar decorated in arrangements of white gladioli, stock and mums, with a background of palms and potted mums and potted ferns. White tapers burned in floor standards and the couple exchanged vows beneath a white wrought-iron arch.

The traditional wedding music was presented by Miss BoPeep Wilson, organist, and Miss Mary Griffin and Gary Pamplin, vocalists.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in an original model of embroidered nylon tulle over taffeta, made ballerina length. The gown was fashioned with molded bodice of embroidered tulle over taffeta, made strapless and topped by a diminutive jacket designed with long sleeves that formed petal points over her hands. The bouffant skirt fell in tiers over an underskirt of taffeta edged in dainty frothy ruffles. She wore a headpiece of tulle, studded in rhinestones, from which fell the shoulder-length veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of lilies-of-the valley and white satin leaves, centered with a white orchid.

Miss Irma Speight Williamson, the bride's only attendant, wore a pink chromespun taffeta dress trimmed in tulle and beads, which was ballerina length, and carried a cascade bouquet centered with a glamelia.

Jerry Klemm attended his brother as best man and Joe Mitchell Joplin, brother of the bride, was ring bearer. Candlelighters were Bill Joplin, brother of the bride, and Billy Earl Walker.

Arthur McNeil, Lyndon Hackney, R. G. Howard, Jim Klemm and Don Klemm were ushers and groomsmen.

A reception followed the ceremony, and was held in the church parlors where the bride's colors of pink and white were used. The table was covered in tulle over pink, and centered with pink carnations and pink stock in a crystal container, with pink tapers in crystal candelabra. The four-tiered wedding cake, decorated in pink, was served with punch. Miss Louise Shepherd and Miss Pat Wynn, both of Dallas, cut the cake, while Miss Beth Triplett, of Whitney, and Miss Audrey Stewart, of Denton, poured punch. Mrs. Donald Brown, of Dallas, and Miss Freida Orenduff presided at the guest book while others assisting in the house-party were Miss Bonna Jean Nance, of Brady, and Miss Nancy Wallis, of Dallas.

Following a short wedding trip the couple will reside at 103 Standifer street, McKinney. For traveling Mrs. Klemm chose a brown faille suit with brown velveteen trim and brown accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. Klemm are both graduates of Boyd High School, this city, and students at North Texas State College in Denton. Mr. Klemm served in the Navy four years, and formerly attended Arlington State College before entering NTSC, where he will continue his studies.

Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary of July 28, 1956.

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For Sheriff:
FLOYD WILLIAMS
OTHO (Fatty) NICHOLAS
TRAVIS CORZINE
D. B. POWELL
JOE SIMERLY

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For Tax Assessor-Collector:
LEWIS BALDWIN
J. W. ATTERBURY JR.
MRS. DOYLE NELSON

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For Co. Commissioner of Precinct No. 3:
CLARENCE E. GEORGE
O. H. STROUP

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For Co. Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:
GLENN (Bud) BALDWIN

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For Constable, Precinct 1:
EARL A. HANEY
T. E. BLACKWELL

TO BE MARRIED IN JUNE

MISS MARY TERESE HENDRIX

James A. Hendrix, 2711 Bissonnet, Houston, has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Miss Mary Terese Hendrix, to George William Lewis. The parents of the bridegroom-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph St. John Lewis, 140 Beverly Lane, Bellaire, Texas.

The wedding will take place in June in the First Methodist Church, Dallas.

The bride-to-be is the niece of Mrs. J. T. Rollins of McKinney where she has visited on many occasions and has a host of friends.

Mrs. Anderson Guest Speaker Burrow Club

Mrs. Alyce Anderson, prominent skin specialist and cosmetician, of Greenville, was guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Burrow Home Demonstration Club.

"There are some points to be remembered in the proper care of the skin," pointed out the speaker. "Proper cleansing and lubrication by use of warm water and special soap, or cleansing cream, skin refresher and skin harmone."

"Always use upward, circular motion in any application to the face."

Mrs. L. R. Nowlain, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. H. L. Shaw directed group singing and Mrs. J. F. Welch, a guest, offered prayer.

Mrs. L. H. Anderson presented devotional meditation from Math. 6:2 and "If My House Seems Small" Math 12:28-29.

A gift was presented to the speaker and the club voted to contribute to the March of Dimes. The club was dismissed with all repeating the club prayer.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Alyce Anderson, J. F. Welch, Rayburn Clinard, Tom Beene, D. E. Houser, Robert Coleman, of Rockwall, and Galen Clinard, guests. Mesdames J. E. Forehand, Joe Fling, C. E. Houser, L. H. Anderson, W. W. Wright, E. R. Nowlain, A. L. Anderson, B. W. O'Neal, H. L. Shaw and H. H. Coleman.

Chambersville Club Holds All Day Meet

The Chambersville Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday with Mrs. C. O. Robinson for an all day meeting. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Floyd Wallen presided over the business meeting when the club voted to donate $5 to the polio fund.

Mrs. Eurline Daspit, county agent, gave a very interesting demonstration on kitchen assessories. A delicious lunch was served at noon.

The club adjourned to meet January 30 with Mrs. L. A. Billingsly.

Culture Club Names Officers In Farmersville

Mrs. J. M. Cheek of Farmersville received the Culture Club of that City recently, Mrs. Vivian Stewart was cohostess.

Program of the day was devoted to election of officers. The folowing were chosen:

Mrs. Frank Tolbert, president; Mrs. J. M. Cheek, recording secretary; Mrs. F. M. Dyer, correspondence secretary; Mrs. Shirley Miller, assistant secretary.

Mrs. W. L. Gunnell, treasurer; Mrs. O. E. Carlisle, parliamentarian; Mrs. A. C. Corry and Mrs. J. W. McIver, reporters; Mrs. M. D. Honaker, historian; Mrs. Lyda Pendleton, bond trustee; Mrs. H. J. Gregory and Mrs. R. E. Phillips, teachers.

At conclusion of the business session, the hostesses served pie and coffee.

W. O. Griffin of Westminster is reported to be confined to his home, at Westminster, with illness.

Mrs. Stover, Mr. Cochran Marry Here

Mrs. Espar Anderson Stover, of Pampa, was married to Warren Baldwin Cochran of New York City in a simple wedding at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John M. Hooper, this city, with the family and a few friends present.

Rev. Floyd A. Bouiware, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Grand Prairie, performing the ceremony after which a wedding breakfast was served to the bride and groom, and guests.

After the breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Cochran left for an extended tour through South Texas and the Rio Grande Valley. They expect to return to Pampa in April.

Read The Want Ads

Mrs. Doyle Nelson Candidate For Tax-Assessor-Collector

MRS. DOYLE NELSON

TO THE VOTERS OF COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS:

I wish to take this means of announcing my candidacy for your office of Assessor Collector of Taxes for Collin County. My name is Amy Ellen Nelson and I am the wife of Doyle Lee Nelson. I am forty-nine years old and was born at Wylie, Texas to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hefner. My husband and I have one son, James Webb Nelson.

I have lived in Collin County all my life and have lived in the City of McKinney since 1945.

My husband was for two terms Assessor Collector for taxes for the county of Collin approximately ten years ago. This is my first time ever to offer for a public office of any sort.

I feel that I am well qualified for the position. I attended high school in Gunter and in McKinney and after graduating from high school attended business college. Since that time I have worked as clerk and bookkeeper for a number of Collin employers and have been self employed for a number of years having operated a grocery store in the Kelly community in Collin County many years together wit my husband we operated the Tom Thumb Grocery Store in McKinney for a number of years.

It is my intention and desire to see each of you personally between now and the primary election and I wish to take this opportunity not only to urge your support of my candidacy but to thank you for the many favors which have already been extended to me in my campaign.

MRS. DOYLE NELSON
(Pol. Adv.)

Engagement Of Local Couple Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood, 820 Woodleigh Drive, McKinney, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Glendia Ann Wood, to Tommy Lynn Haggard, 509 Hunt Street, McKinney.

The double-ring ceremony will be performed Saturday evening, January 28 at 7:30 o'clock at the Full Gospel Assembly of God Church here.

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TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
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Starring
Lana Turner and Edmund Purdom

Joe Simerly Enters Race for Sheriff Of Collin County

JOE SIMERLY

To The People of Collin County:

I Wish to make known to all my friends of Collin County that I am to be a candidate in the coming July Democratic Primary for the office of Sheriff of Collin County.

I am 38 years old and a native of Collin County. I was born to the late Mr. and Mrs. T. Frank Simerly, being the youngest of eight children. I received my education in the McKinney Schools.

Before entering the service of the Armed Forces I operated a cafe from 1939 until 1942 at which time I entered the service of the U. S. Navy until August of 1954. Since 1945 I worked for the Finney Bakery for several years until buying a small cafe which I now operate.

I am married to the former Freda Fennel. We have an adopted son, Erwin Franklyn and a son of our own, Tommy Joe.

I am a believer in Collin County and in the welfare of all our citizenry and children. I believe in preventing instead of creating criminals. I believe in the essential good of all people. With these things in mind and with the help of God I believe I can make an efficient and capable servant of the people.

I respectfully submit my qualifications to you the people of Collin County and ask for your influence and support in the coming election.

Respectfully yours
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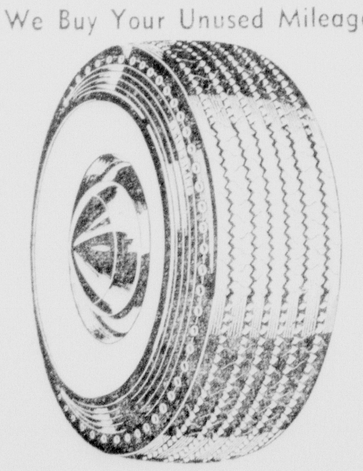

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